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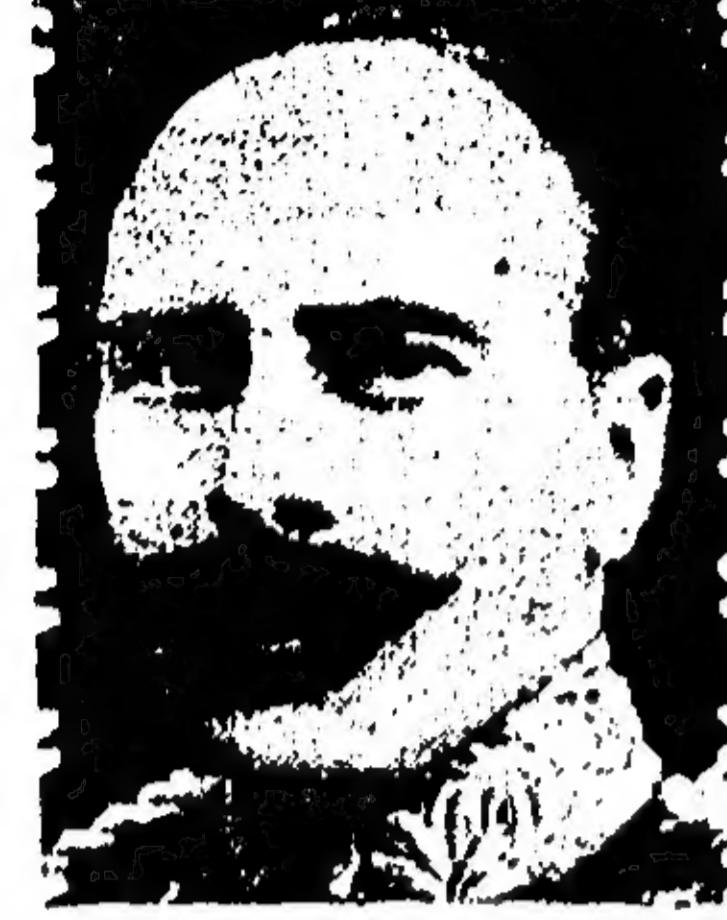
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FINAL SWEEP DRAWINGS.

More Far East
Prizes.

MACAO WINNER.

London, June 2.
With a sum of £190,000 still awaiting to be distributed in £100 prizes, there was no abatement of interest in the further Derby Sweep drawings at Mansion House, Dublin, to-day, where long queues assembled long before drawing commenced.

The following residents in the Far East were among the lucky ticket-holders:

E. 11, MacGregor Road,
Yangtzeppoo,
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R.H. Felgate,
2, Nanking Road,
Shanghai.

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14, Shun Yen Fong,
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Shanghai.

H. Lowry,
c/o Mackinnon, Mackenzie,
Hongkong.

It is learned from Singapore that Mr. Kho Boo-gay, a wealthy Chinese resident of the Straits Settlements, who has drawn Sandwith in the Calcutta Sweep, has sold a quarter of his ticket.

COWARDLY CRIME AT SHAUKIWAN.

WOMAN STABBED FOR UNKNOWN REASON.

Victim of a stabbing affair, a Chinese woman, 47 years of age, was admitted into Hospital last night, suffering from serious injuries to her face and shoulder.

It appears that the woman was visited at her house in Main Street, Shaukiwan, by two men, who, after being in the house for some time, suddenly seized the woman. One held her in a vice-like grip, while the other stabbed her in the face and shoulder with a dagger. They fled before her cries attracted attention.

The woman lies in the Government Civil Hospital in a serious condition. The motive for the attack is unknown.

NEW RECORD FOR THE MILE AND HALF.

FINNISH RUNNER BEATS NURMI'S TIME.

Helsingfors, June 2.
At an athletic meeting here, the Finnish runner, Lehtinen, ran the mile and a half in 6 min. 42 1/6 sec.

This compares with Nurmi's record of 6 min. 42 8/5 sec.

THE KING'S BIRTHDAY HONOURS LIST. NO NEW PEERAGES CREATED.

FAMOUS COMPOSER NOW A BARONET.

G.C.M.G. CONFERRED UPON SIR CECIL CLEMENTI.

MANY KNIGHTHOODS.

THE LIST of Honours conferred upon the occasion of the King's Birthday is noteworthy for the absence of any new peerages. New baronetcies are limited to four, and there are only twenty-five new Knight Bachelors. The remainder cover a very wide field, and are in recognition of valuable services rendered in all parts of the Empire.

The Earl of Athlone and Sir William Jowitt are made Privy Councillors, Sir Cecil Clementi gets the G.C.M.G., and the eighty-three-year-old V.C., General Sir Reginald Hart is made G.C.B. Four honours come to Hongkong, Major H. B. L. Dowbiggin, of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, getting the O.B.E.

THREE WOMEN HONOURED.

London, June 3.
Among the recipients of honours in the King's Birthday List are the following:

Privy Councillors.

Sir William Henry Bragg, Fullerian Professor of Chemistry, General of South Africa from 1923 to 1930. As Prince Alexander of Teck he married Princess Alice of Albany in 1904. His princely title was relinquished on the confirmation of the Earlom of Athlone in 1917. Formerly a major in the 2nd Life Guards, he served in the South African War, winning the D. S. O. His term of office in South Africa was extended in 1928.

Sir William Jowitt, Attorney General since June, 1929. Called to the Bar in 1909, took silk in 1922. Elected Liberal M. P. for Hartlepool in 1922 and for Preston in 1924 and 1929. A week after re-election he joined the Labour Party, and was appointed Attorney General. A brilliant advocate, assured of further promotion.

Baronets.

Sir Edward Elgar, eminent composer, holder of thirteen honorary degrees in British and foreign musical societies. Is entirely a self-made man; taught himself everything in the art of music. "The Dream of Gerontius" made him famous. Has been Master of the King's Music since 1924.

Mr. Philip Henry Devitt, Founder of the Nautical College, Pangbourne.

Sir Herbert Gibson, for services in connexion with the brilliantly successful British Empire Trade Exhibition recently held at Buenos Aires. He is a prominent land-owner in the Argentine.

Sir Thomas Jaffrey, who founded the Chair of Political Economy at Aberdeen University. He is a prominent banker and company director.

Knighthoods.

Mr. Ben Turner, Parliamentary Secretary to the Mines Dept: Was Chairman of the Labour Party in 1911, Chairman of the Trades Union Congress 1928 and Joint Chairman of the Melchett-Turner Industrial Conference. President of the National Union of Textile Workers. Represents Battersea in Parliament, having been Mayor of that town three times.

Mr. Charles Menzies, of Perth, West Australia, for philanthropic services to that State.

Mr. Charles Bolcher, the Chief Justice of Trinidad.

Mr. Henry Demel, for philanthropic services in Ceylon.

Entered the Navy in 1887 and as

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MARTIAL CELEBRATION.

Review of Forces in Hongkong.

H.E. THE GOVERNOR TAKES SALUTE.

Fluttering flags and bunting from every flagpole and from ships in harbour, this morning carried a message of "Many Happy Returns" to His Majesty the King on the occasion of his 66th birthday. With cool weather favouring the holiday, a large crowd viewed the military parade at Statue Square.

Troops from the China station participated in the march past His Excellency the Governor (Sir William Peel) at the Cenotaph, Hongkong's official tribute to its King. To-night there will be an official reception at Government House.

The customary ceremonial at Statue Square with its salutes and cheers and display of well-trained troops was colourful and impressive, and was all in harmony with the various units swinging past the Cenotaph to the martial brass of the band and the skirt of the pipes.

Scene at Cenotaph.

By 10 a.m. the troops were in position, the space in the immediate vicinity of the Cenotaph being devoted to Executive and Legislative Council members, Foreign Consuls and representatives of the E.A.S.M.A., British Legion, Mercantile Marine, St. John Ambulance, Boy Scouts, Girl Guides and the Volunteers.

Dame Commander British Empire.

Miss Sybil Thorndike.—The noted actress. Has had many notable roles including St. Joan in 1924. Three years later registered a great success in Macbeth. Received Hon. LL.D. degree from Edinburgh University in 1929, and the Freedom of Rochester at the same time. Her husband is Mr. Lewis Casson.

Miss Joanna Cruickshank.—Former Matron-in-Chief of the Air Force.

Miss Sarah Mair, for her valuable services to women's education.

G. C. B.

Air Chief Marshal Sir John Salmond, joined the Royal Artillery in 1898 and served in the South African War. Did valuable work in the R.A.F. during the Great War and won the D.S.O.

On Jan. 1st, 1930, succeeded Sir Hugh Trenchard as Chief of the Air Staff, R.A.F.

General Sir Reginald Hart, V.C., who is eighty-three years of age, and the oldest holder of the Victoria Cross, which he won in the Afghan Campaign, fifty-two years ago.

K. C. B.

His Excellency then took the salute from the troops as they filed past. All units on China Station were represented in the march past, the order being Royal Navy, Royal Artillery, H.K.S. Brigade, Royal Engineers, Royal Signals, South Wales Borderers, Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, R.A.S.C. and Mule Corps, Royal Air Force, Jat Regiment and the Volunteers.

The route of the march was

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Mr. Li Po-kwai.

Two prominent and well-known members of the Chinese community are included in the Honours List. These are Mr. Wong Kwong-tin and Mr. Li Po-kwai, both of whom receive the Certificate of Honour.

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Major H. B. L. Dowbiggin.

HONGKONG HONOURS.

DEFENCE CORPS RECIPIENTS.

Hongkong does not figure very prominently in the Honours List, only four awards being made. In each instance, however, the recognition is well deserved.

Major H. B. L. Dowbiggin is awarded the O.B.E. (Military Division), while Mr. Robert John Everest, of the Public Works Department, receives the M.B.E. decoration (Military Division). Both are doubtless in recognition of the services of the recipients in the Volunteer Defence Corps.

Of Major Dowbiggin it can be said that he is one of the most popular officers of the Defence Corps. He has always taken the keenest interest in the welfare of the men, whether in general organisation, sporting activities or anything which conduces to their welfare.

Acted Commandant.

Last year, during the absence of Lieut.-Col. L. G. Bird, he was acting Commandant, a post which he filled with marked distinction and ability. Of a most genial and affable disposition, he is popular in all spheres of the Colony's life and has been prominently identified with numerous local organisations. He has been a Justice of the Peace since 1920 and as such is a member of the Court of the University. He is also a member of the Board of Education and of the Licensing Board. A keen horticulturist, he also takes deep interest in sport and has for many years been Honorary A.D.C. to successive Governors.

Long Association With East.

Major Dowbiggin, who belongs to a family which has long been associated with the East, was formerly in the service of the Mercantile Bank of India, and is now a member of the well-known firm of Stewart Bros., bullion brokers. The honour which he has received is thoroughly well deserved, and Mr. Dowbiggin's numerous friends will be delighted at the mark of Royal favour conferred upon him.

Sgt. Major Everest.

Mr. Robert John Everest has put in a fine record of service in the Defence Corps. In 1919, he was mentioned in a War Office notice for valuable services rendered in connexion with the Corps, and at the recent annual inspection, he was presented with the Long Service Medal. He is Company Sergeant Major (Engineer Company) and is recognised as a most efficient and painstaking officer.

Mr. Everest joined the P.W.D. as 2nd Class Overseer in 1909 and attained 1st Class rank in 1916. He has shown himself a most conscientious and able servant of the Government.

For his service in the Defence Corps, he has well merited the honour now conferred upon him, and we join with his many friends in tendering him our hearty congratulations.

Mr. Li Po-kwai.

He considers that an international conference is imperative though inasmuch as the United States has more than half the gold supply of the world in her vaults doing nothing, and is farthest from worry over the current state of the silver market, she cannot be expected to imitate.

Mr. Li Po-kwai, says, is nevertheless anxious to assist to stabilise the

RED INTRIGUE IN FRENCH INDO-CHINA.

FAILURE CLAIMED BY PARIS.

HEAVY LOSSES IN RECENT ATTACK.

Paris, June 2.

The grave disturbances in parts of Indo-China during recent weeks were attributed to an intensive Communist campaign, in the course of a debate on colonial affairs in committee of the Chamber to-day.

M. Paul Reynaud, the Minister for the Colonies, replying to criticism by the Colonial Committee, declared that the Bolshevik effort to stir up the natives had failed everywhere in French Indo-China, except in North Annam, which was in a continual state of unrest.

M. Pasquier, the Governor-General of French Indo-China, who is at present on leave, was present.

M. Reynaud read a telegram describing the Communist outrages in North Annam, and mentioned that one hundred and seventy-five of the Reds were killed when they launched an attack on the native military posts on May 1 and were repulsed.

He also read a document found on a Communist arrested in Hanoi, outlining plans for a general Communist attack without warning throughout the whole country.

Results at a glance, together with the principal individual achievements, follow.

STARTLING CRICKET.

DERBY BOWLER'S BRILLIANCE.

Gloucester Lose to Worcester.

FIRST N. Z. DEFEAT.

London, June 2.
Cricket has lived up to its reputation for "glorious uncertainty" during the week-end series, sensation following sensation. Gloucester were humbled by Worcester, conquerors of Lancashire a week or so ago, while Sussex were hopelessly outplayed by Derbyshire.

The hero of the Derbyshire game was Mitchell, a leg-break slow bowler of the younger brigade, who has long been recognised as one of the best in the country. Twice he brought off the dismissal of the crack Sussex team for less than a hundred runs, his total being twelve wickets, for less than three runs apiece!

The New Zealanders suffered their first defeat of their tour at Lord's where sound all-round play by Middlesex brought them low. The margin was 79 runs.

The brightest batting was a superb effort by Frank Woolley against Yorkshire at Bradford. He personally scored 188 out of a total of 296 for 4 wickets.

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BENEFITS OF AIR TRANSPORT.

INTERESTING TALK BY MR.
W. MOSS.

AT ROTARY CLUB.

The benefits and safety of aviation as within his own experience in his travels in all parts of the world were commented upon by Mr. William Moss, Director of foreign sales for the Dalton Adding Machine Co., of Ohio, when addressing Hongkong Rotarians at the Club's weekly meeting at Messrs. Lane Crawford's restaurant yesterday.

Sir William Hornell, who presided, welcomed the following Hongkong residents as visitors:—Mr. C. C. Lu, Mr. M. K. Wong, Mr. L. J. Caso, Mr. J. Putler and Mr. D. W. Trutman. He also welcomed Mr. D. Tinling, from Shanghai, and Rotarian G. L. Bosa, from Bundaberg, Australia.

In introducing the speaker, whose subject was entitled "By Aeroplane over Central and South America and the West Indies," the Chairman pointed out that Mr. Moss was a keen supporter of air travel and always used it when he could.

After referring to the good work being done by Rotary in many parts of the world in his own experience, Mr. Moss, in describing his journeys through Central and South America, said:—I left New York and came down to Colombia. Between Cali and Bogota I went part of the way by motor car, from Armeria to Ibagué, reaching about 12,000; a dangerous trip, best made at night because of the precipitous curves. When going from one of the ten departments to another in Colombia baggage is searched for liquor, tobacco, etc.

There is a wonderful aeroplane service which has been operated for the last eleven years in Colombia by Germans, under the name Seadta, which has been a life-saver insofar as speed and convenience are concerned. One can go from Bogota by aeroplane and train to Medellin in less than 30 hours. Between Puerto Berrio, on the Magdalena River, and Medellin, it was formerly necessary to get out of the train and cross the mountains by mule pack or motor car, a distance of over twelve miles. The Americans, however, completed a tunnel through the mountains in less than the agreed time of two years with the result that the journey is now much easier.

Travel Difficulties.

Medellin is one of the most progressive cities, not only in Colombia but also in South America. They are hard workers there and shops open at 7 a.m. and close between 5.30 and 6 p.m. Many do not close for midday meals. The possibilities for transportation development in Colombia are still enormous. For instance, in the department of Antioquia, there is no big town outside of Medellin, most of the journey being done by mule pack or automobile. For instance it takes about three days to go from Medellin to Munitas.

From Medellin to Barranquilla, by way of Puerto Berrio, including train, aeroplane, and one night at Puerto Berrio, the journey can be made in about 27 hours, incredible when compared with the usual methods of transportation which may take from three to ten days according to the state of the river.

Barranquilla is rapidly forging to the front as one of the great cities of Colombia. It takes one hour to go from Barranquilla to Cartagena, and from there less than five hours by aeroplane to Cristobal, Panama. From Cristobal one can proceed by aeroplane to San Jose, Costa Rica, via Puntares.

Shaved Wrists.

Speaking of the methods of checking the possibility of a citizen voting twice on election day, Mr. Moss referred his audience to a quaint method adopted at Santo Domingo. He said: After the voter deposits his ballot the hair on the wrist of his right arm is shaved to prevent his voting again on that day. The ballot is given

only to those who have hair on the wrist.

I travelled by aeroplane from San Juan to the Virgin Islands, of which St. Thomas is the leading city. The population of the Virgin Islands grew in 1917, shortly after the United States purchased them for \$25,000,000 from Denmark on March 31, 1917, showed 26,000 people. To-day they have 22,000. The Islands are steadily declining in population and importance for various reasons, one of the principal being that St. Thomas has lost its strong position as a coaling station. Tourist business could be developed on a much larger scale if it is claimed, when addressing Hongkong Rotarians at the Club's weekly meeting at Messrs. Lane Crawford's restaurant yesterday.

Gigantic Map.

Speaking of Guatemala, Mr. Moss said: One of the most interesting sights at this place is a gigantic relief map situated on the ground of the race course. It is approximately 160 feet square, carefully worked out in every detail of mountain, ravine and river. To study it is to study a republic about the size of North Carolina, with seaports on both the Atlantic and the Pacific. It shows us why, although Guatemala lies in the tropics, that the thermometer in Guatemala city stays between 62 and 77 degrees all the year round. It shows us the volcanoes, one of which, in 1918, killed 1,000 people and did \$50,000,000 worth of damage.

After dealing with other interesting places, including Antigua, the original capital of Guatemala, Salvador and Nicaragua, Mr. Moss went on to speak about Panama. He said: "It took the United States ten years and cost about \$400,000,000 to build the Panama Canal. The United States Government has a hundred years lease from the Republic of Panama and keeps under military control a strip of land about 50 miles long and ten miles wide, extending from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Panama itself has no port of entry so the United States Government undertakes the work of collecting duties and examining the baggage of travellers entering the Isthmus—a procedure which frequently puzzles Americans entering what they properly presume to be American territory.

Tragic French Failure.

The French failure to build the Canal was tragic. It was due to great engineering difficulties, insufficient knowledge of sanitation, lack of capital, and the corrupt use of money to hand. Between 1880 and 1904 they spent \$300,000,000 and innumerable lives were lost.

The pier at Puerto Colombia, said Mr. Moss, extends out to nearly a mile—a remarkable job. This place is about an hour by train from Baranquilla and the river is dredged to make the interior town of Baranquilla an open port.

Salvador now has an outlet for her coffee on the Atlantic side via Zacapa and Guatemala, the railroad from San Salvador to this city having been opened last December. It proceeds to Puerto Barrios and Guatemala.

The ports of Ocos, Champerico and San Jose, are open roadsteads. Ships must lie off shore when the weather is bad and loading must be suspended. The mere threat of such interruptions militates against the coffee producer when he is making contracts for delivery to American and European markets.

Puerto Barrios, on the Atlantic side, has a landlocked harbour with a modern pier affording facilities for loading and unloading vessels and is operated by the International Railways of Central America, an American company. It is the largest railway enterprise outside the United States under American management.

No Sitting Out at Dances.

In Guatemala city it was very delightful to watch, in between dancing at the hotel, that the couples, instead of standing and chatting on the floor waiting for the music to begin again, simply dropped into a march, one behind the other, walking around the hall in beautiful formation for about a minute until the music started again. When the dance ended, if any couples preferred to talk rather than sit down, they continued this

Is Your Child Clean— Internally?

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Far more important than external cleanliness—and that cannot be over-estimated—is the hygiene of the internal organs. If external cleanliness is of the highest importance, internal cleanliness can only be described as an absolutely vital matter. In fact, it is no exaggeration to say that it is a matter of life and death, for it is acknowledged by medical men that it is in congested intestines and clogged internal organs that most disease germs establish themselves.

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JAPAN AND SOVIET.

CREDIT OF YEN 50,000,000
BEING ARRANGED.

TOKYO, June 2.
Negotiations are in progress for granting Yen 50,000,000 credit, for thirty months, to the Soviet.

The Soviet Ambassador proposes to purchase electrical apparatus, ironware and steamers from Japan.—Reuter.

parade round the floor, one behind the other as long as they felt like it.

Speaking of Argentina, Mr. Moss drew attention to a curious custom. He said the townpeople walked up and down the main street from five to seven in the evening and an interesting sight was that of two men—male models—who were made fashion plates and who walked up and down the middle of the street during this period to demonstrate the latest in men's fashion.

Unembarrassed Staring.

Another curious custom in Central and South America, Mr. Moss said, was—People are in the habit of staring at each other in theatres, so much so that they even stand up during the intermission and look around them. Some of them look you over with the lorgnettes, which are properly called in Spanish *impertinencias*. It is wonderful to see how the girls can be stared at indefinitely without any embarrassment on their part, although, of course, they are taking it all in. It is when a girl is not stared at that she begins to worry.—(Laughter).

Sir William Hornell, on behalf of the Rotary Club, expressed thanks to the speaker for his address.

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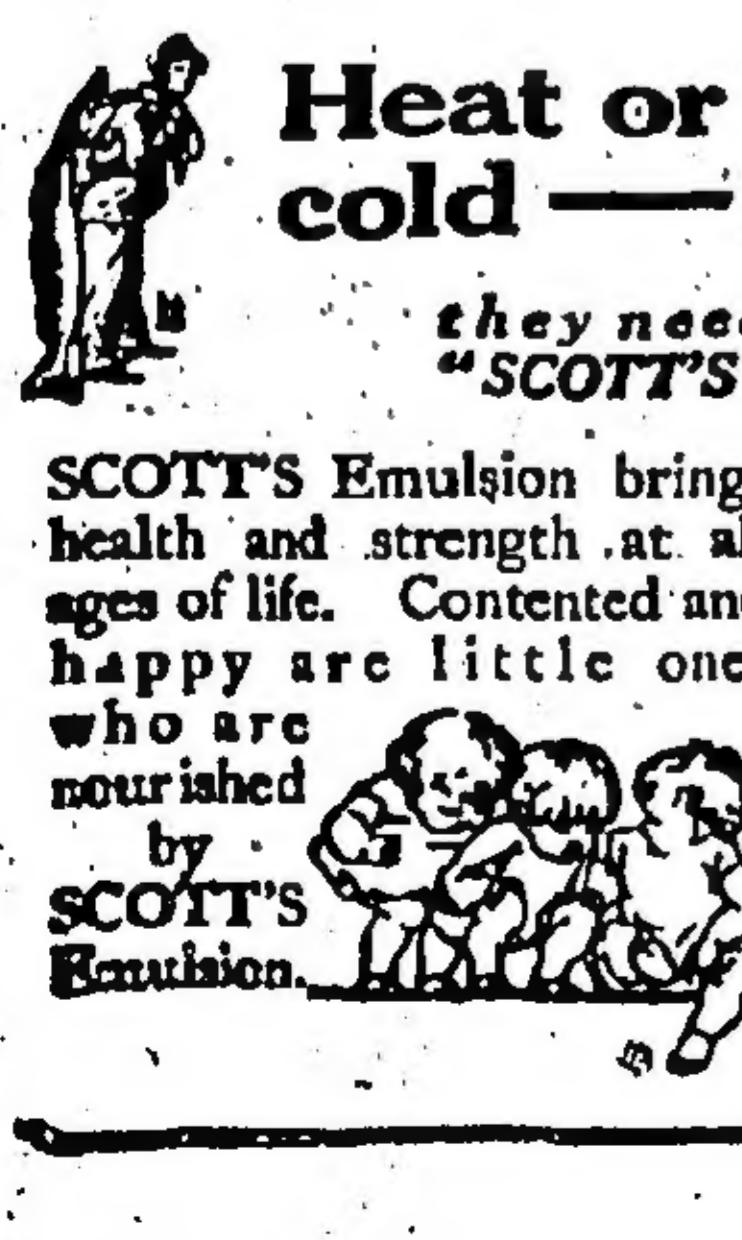
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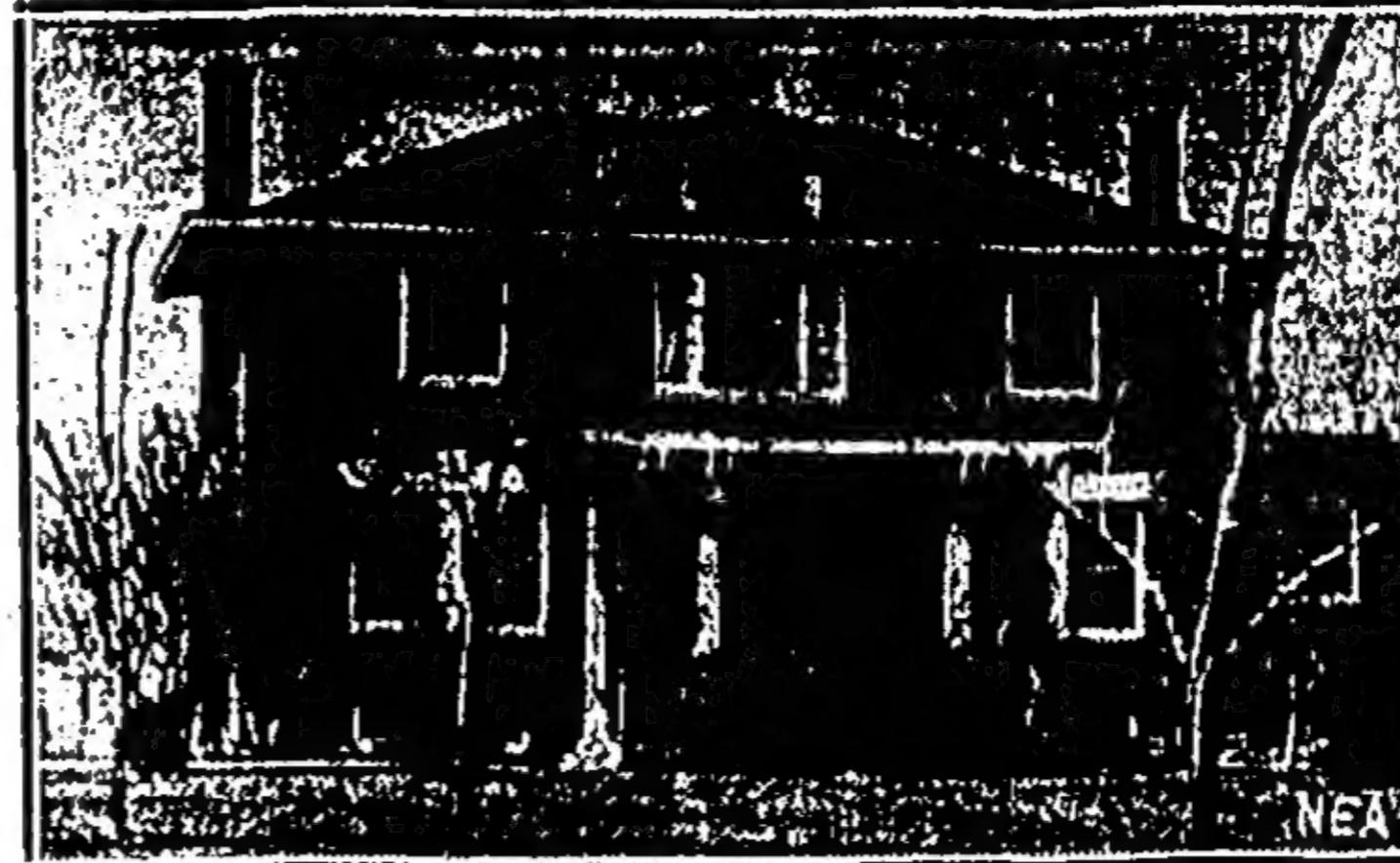
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Jack Dempsey has gone to reside at Reno temporarily in order to establish legal residence in his divorce suit against Estelle Taylor. The "shack," above costs him \$1,000 a month.



Rescue crews working heroically to bring out workmen trapped in a fireswept and smoke-filled Chicago sewerage tunnel. Twelve were killed and eighteen saved, in a critical condition.



S. S. Van Dine (W. Huntington Wright in private life) writer of several mystery stories for the "Telegraph," is shown above with his bride, formerly Miss Claire de Lise, a portrait painter.



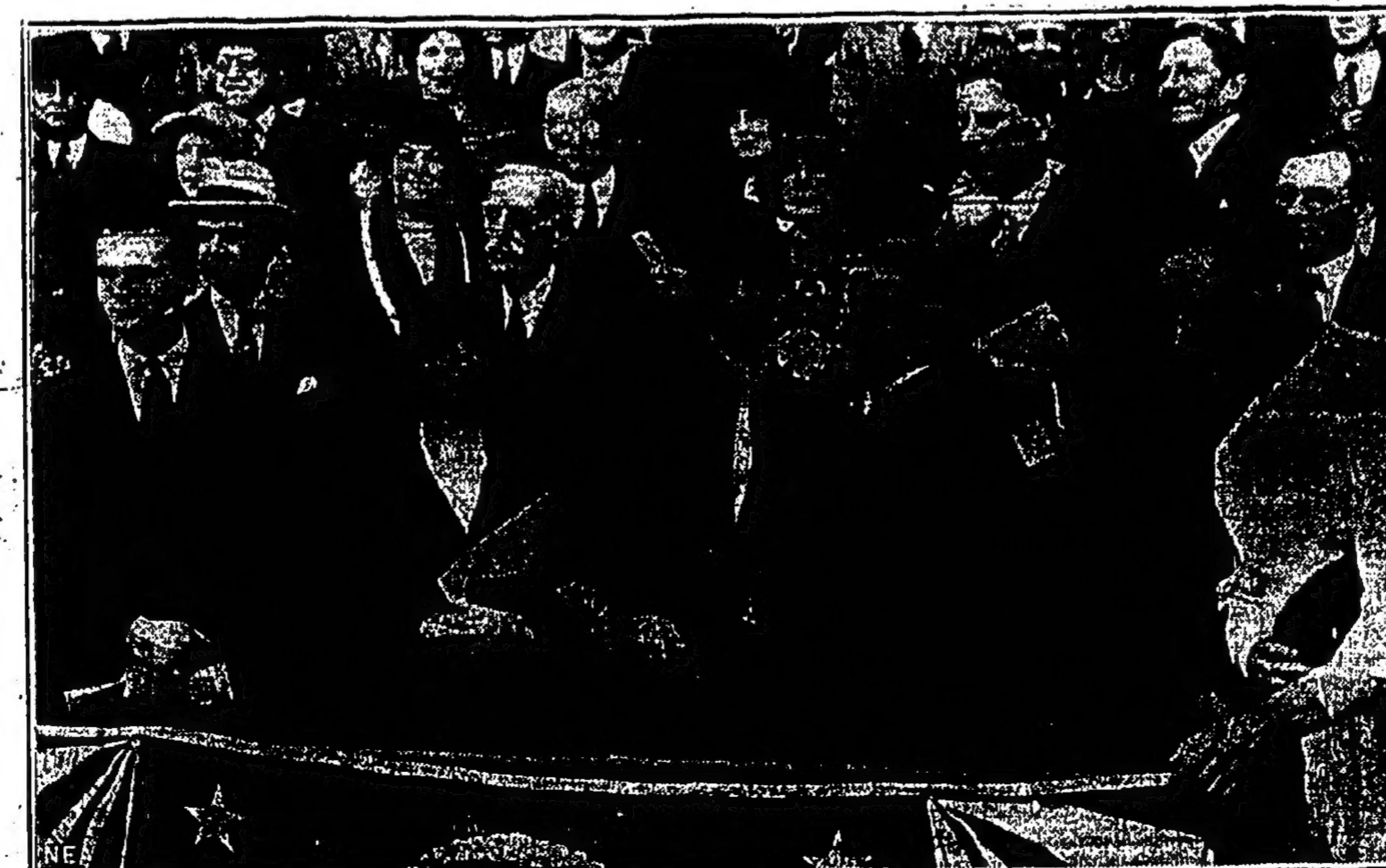
Lazzeri, Yankees, stealing second against Boston



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Notice is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, Hongkong, on Monday, the 15th June, 1931, at 11 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 30th April, 1931.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from Monday, 8th day of June, to Monday, 15th day of June, 1931, both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers, Hongkong, 2nd June, 1931.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

From this date and during the absence of the Undersigned from the Colony, Mr. H. C. GRAY is appointed Acting General Manager of the Society.

By Order of the Board,

PAUL LAUDER, General Manager, Hongkong, 1st June, 1931.

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By Order of the Board,

PAUL LAUDER, General Manager, Hongkong, 1st June, 1931.

BANK HOLIDAYS.

In accordance with Government Ordinance, the Exchange Banks will be closed for the Transaction of Public Business on Wednesday, the 3rd June, (The Birthday of His Majesty the King). Hongkong, 29th May, 1931.

THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Seventh Extra Race Meeting will be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley on Saturday, 6th June, 1931, commencing at 2 p.m.

The first bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.

No one without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5. for Gentlemen and \$8. for Ladies (both including the cost of admission) are obtainable through the Secretary upon introduction by a member, such member to be responsible for payment of all costs etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will not be on sale at the Race Course.

Members can obtain upon application to the Secretary Badges (limited to ONE) for the free admission to the Members' Enclosure of wives, lady relatives and friends. Names must be stated when applying.

No pretext will children be permitted, in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2. including tax, for all persons including ladies and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted half price.

Bookmakers, Tie Tac Men & will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

Tiffs will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

By Order,

JARDINE, MATTHESON & CO., LTD., General Managers, Hongkong, 27th May, 1931.

Lammert's Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

The Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

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the 4th June, 1931,

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2	Kowloon Island Lot No. 2507.	Between Kowloon Island and Tai Nan Street.	As per sale plan.	About 1,524	60	\$1,360		

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			N.	S.	E.			
3	Admiralty Island Lot No. 2509.	Admiralty Island, May Road.	As per sale plan.	About 1,100	48	\$1,100		

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

CANTON'S LATEST APPOINTMENTS.

THE COUNCIL MEMBERS TO THE NATION.

Canton, June 2. The following business was adopted at the second meeting of the Nationalist Council held today:

Regulations regarding the organisation of the Executive and Military Councils and the Foreign and Finance Ministers were approved.

The appointment of various civil and military officers was decided, as follows:

Members of the Kwangtung Provincial Council.—Lin Yun-kai, Lin Yi-chung, Chin Tseng-tin, Hu Chi-hsiang, Hsu Chung-ching, Fan Kel-mou, Teng Yen-hun, Li Luk-chao, Teng Tin-kao, Liu Yun-kai, Teng Ching-yang, Kuo Tung-chi, Feng Chu-wan, Fu Ju-lin, Mui Huan-chang, Chu Fong-fu, Chen Chung-fu.

Military Commanders.—Chan Chai-tung (Commander of 1st Route Army Corps), Li Chung-yan (Commander of the 2nd Route Army Corps), Chan Chak (Commander-in-Chief of the Navy), Chang Wal-chang (Commander-in-Chief of the Air Forces), Yu Han-mong (Commander of the 1st Army), Hsiau Han-pin (Commander of the 2nd Army) and Li Yang-chin (Commander of the 3rd Army).

Tang Shao-yi's Movements.

As most of the important affairs of the new Government have been settled, Mr. Tang Shao-yi, member of the Nationalist Council, returned to Chung Shan yesterday evening. A large crowd of politicians, including Messrs. Sun Fo, Wang Ching-wei and Gen. Chan Chak-tung went to the South Bund to bid farewell to Mr. Tang, who is expected back in Canton in a week's time.

Seeking Kiangsi Aid.

Succeeding Gen. Hsiau Han-ping as an envoy to Gen. Chiang Kai-shek, whose troops are stationed in South Kiangsi, Mr. Li Chang-tung, former Commissioner of Public Peace, has been sent to discuss plans with Gen. Chiang in regard to the forthcoming campaign.

CONFIDENCE MEN QUIT LONDON.

LORD BYING'S DRIVE.

Drastic action in recent cases and preventive measures by Lord Byng, the Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police, have made London too hot for the men of confidence tricksters who used to prey on overeager tourists.

Lord Byng posted on special duty carefully selected police officers. These officers are still carrying out their work and their Special Branch colleagues have tightened up their watch at all ports and prevented the landing of undesirables.

In the international record office in Vienna is a complete section dealing with the activities of the confidence tricksters, and a recent scrutiny, undertaken through the International Police Commission, revealed that a number of them have made their temporary abode on the shores of the Mediterranean.

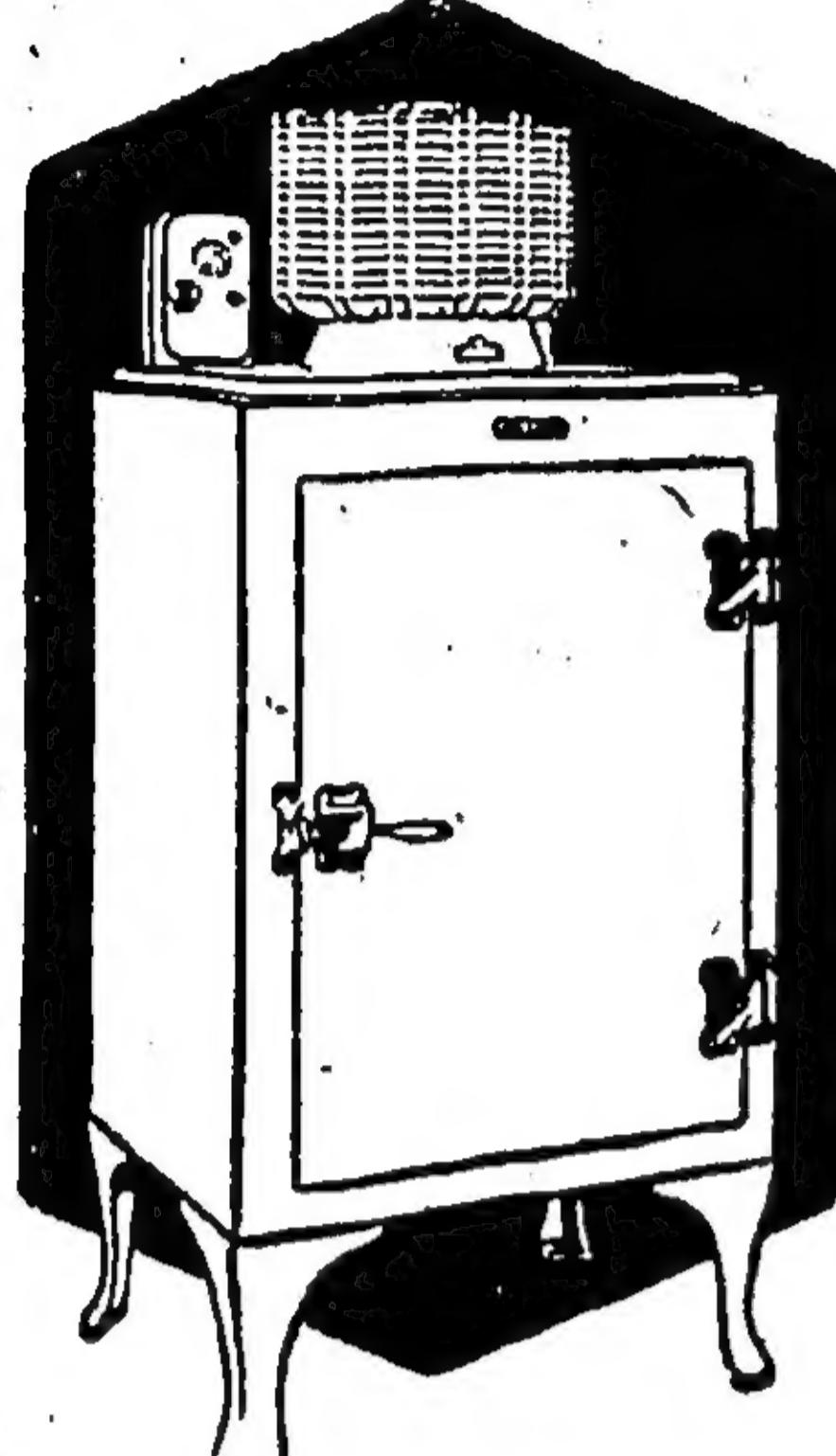
In Paris, where thousands of visitors are flocking to the French International Colonial Exhibition, a special police watch has been set.

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WOMEN'S WORLD FOR OUR LADY READERS.

Sleeves Lend Diversity to New Season's Mode.



Sleeves tell the world that gowns are new and chic. Left: The evening ensemble of green crepe bility has great sleeve puffs starting above the elbow and drawn into a wristlet of the same material finely pleated. Light brown dull-surfaced belt and flower, contrast beautifully with the ensemble's green. Right: A finely pleated frill outlines the below-the-elbow sleeve of fullness of this black and white polka dotted dress and runs down the outside of the sleeve fullness as well as outlines the one-sided rever collar and the skirt's hem.

By Jean Patou.

Paris, April.—Most of the mode's diversity and novelty this season is undoubtedly in the treatment of sleeves. The simplicity of line of the present afternoon styles has been maintained for a purpose, and you will invariably find that when the theme of a season's fashion is simple, the note of fantasy is apparent by the increased attention paid to one particular detail. More often than not, this fantasy is focused on one certain point, hence the tremendous importance attached these days to sleeves.

While the evolution from the ultra-simple mode to one replete with intricate details was a progressive one, the new sleeves seem to have happened overnight, accustomed as we were to narrow straight effects. I think they show unusual fantasy.

**FULL SLEEVES on Afternoon
Dresses**

The sleeves on my latest after-

noon gowns show fullness which at one time was entirely reserved for evening coats. On closer examination, however, they will be found to be considerably simplified and to have acquired a style all their own.

Sleeve fullness is achieved in a diversity of manners, and it is this almost infinite diversity that attracts the attention. Some versions start full at the top to end bell-shaped at the wrist. Others are distinctly bouffant above the elbow or, contrarily, bouffant from the elbow down, the fullness being further enhanced by the addition of a pleated frill or fine shirring.

In this domain, as with any detail of fashions, any idea of exaggeration is to be carefully avoided. The main pitfall, in cases where the whole fantasy of a gown is centralized at one point, is that this can appear totally foreign to the ensemble itself. So with the new sleeves, the general and final effect must be carefully studied and considered.

Mode Is Limited to Formal Costumes.

A coat with straight lines, for example, would be entirely spoiled by the addition of bell-shaped sleeves or sleeves with a side flare. The effect from the back—the best vantage point—would be found to be absolutely discordant and incongruous.

Very full sleeves obviously can only be featured in formal ensembles, because the general style adapts itself usually to such a fantasy and also because the fabric used must necessarily be very light and supple.

I think fancy sleeves can provide one of the most charming details in fashions, but they must absolutely harmonize with the character and style of the ensemble. It takes very little to fall into an anachronism and thus border on the ridiculous.

LINEN TABLE CLOTHS.

Some most attractive and serviceable table cloths, which would serve excellently in the nursery, are made of Irish linen, in large square shapes. The cloths are a deep cream colour, and have charming striped borders of blue and orange, or green and orange.

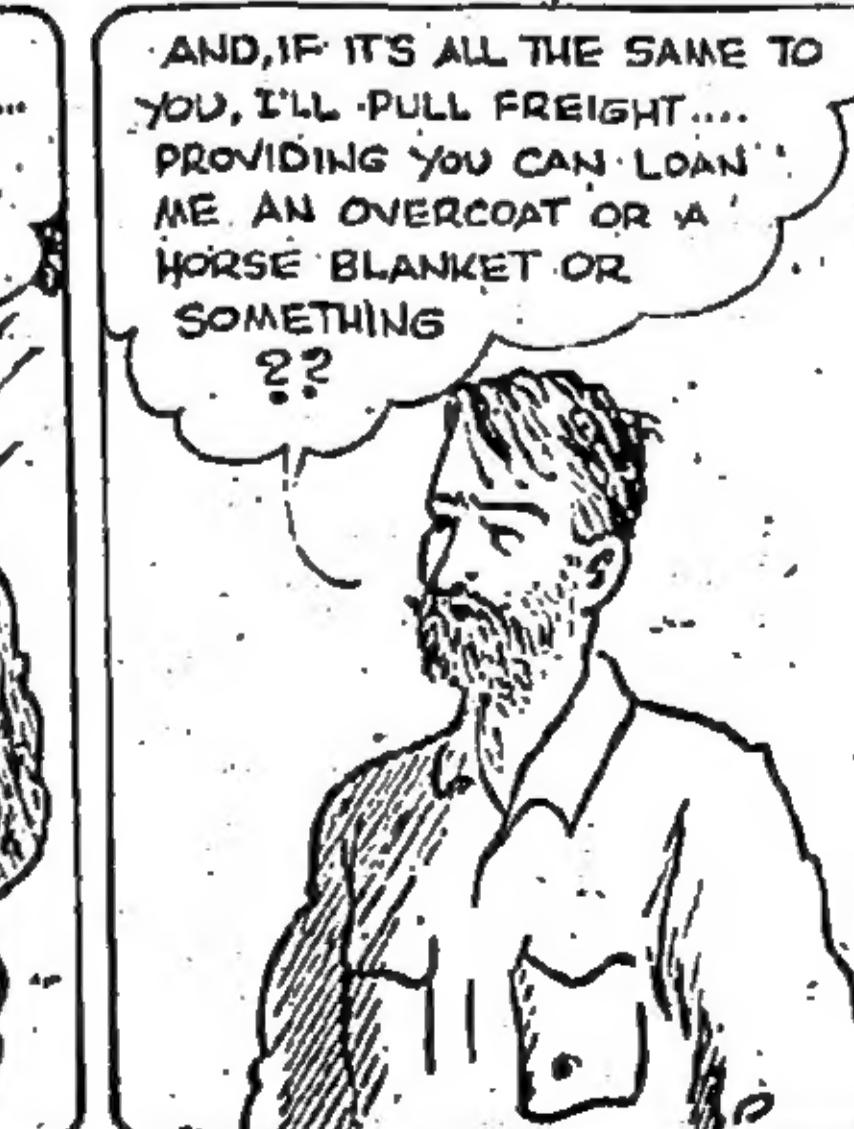
MINIATURE MANICURE SET.

For a short week-end a large manicure set in a case is often too bulky for the dressing case. A nail buffer is being shown which opens to reveal five or six nail-cleaning necessities in one side, with a small pair of scissors to fit neatly into the other side.

BEAD BELTS.

The latest belts for wear over the new spring jumpers are made of many coloured beads. The beads are circular and are placed in four or five rows, making the belts an inch and a half wide; a simple gold buckle fastens the belt in the front.

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MINERS' WORK TIME.

INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT FINALLY REACHED.

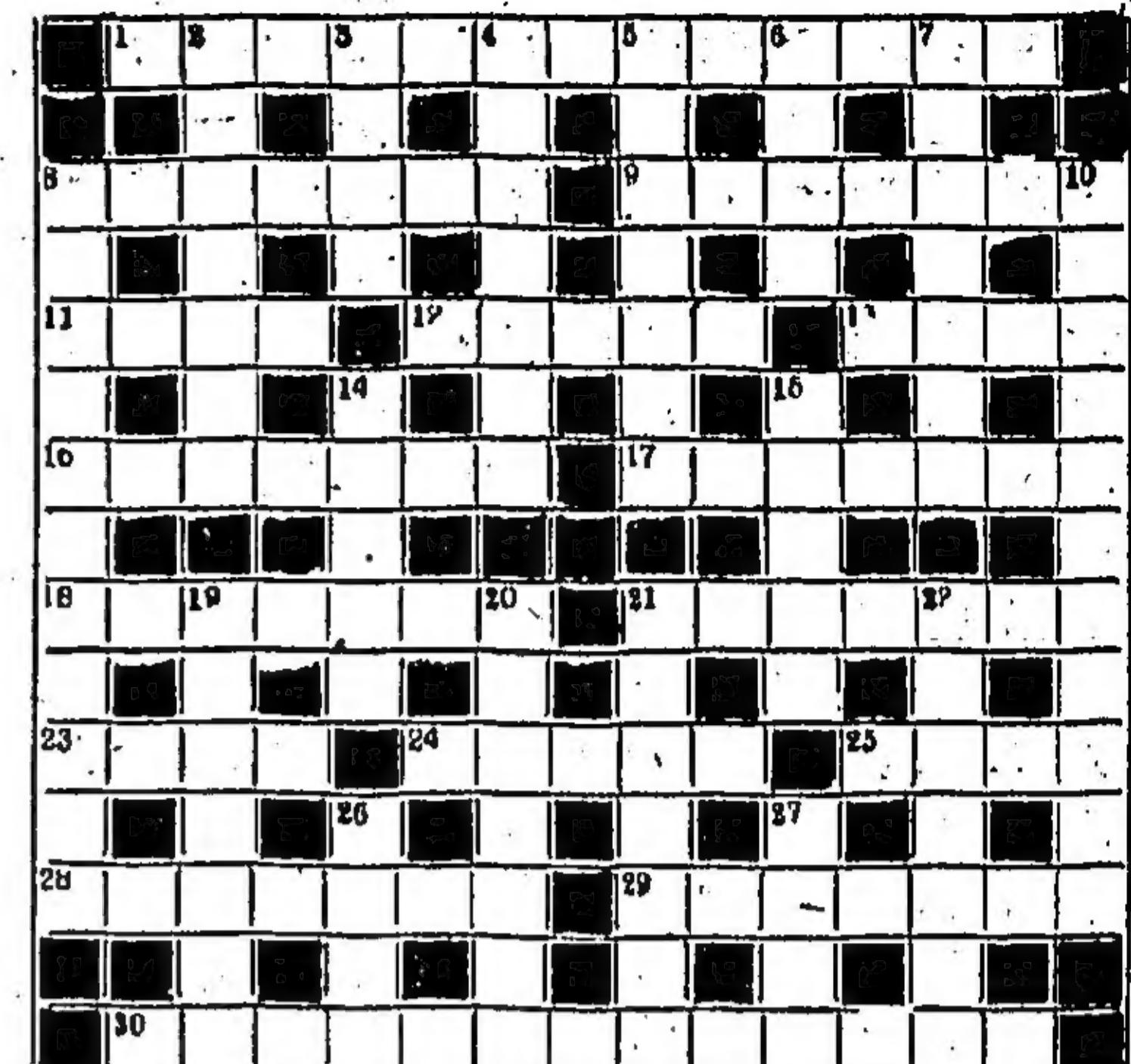
London, June 2.—A working day of seven and three-quarter hours in coal-mines has been approved by 30 votes to 15, by the Conference at the International Labour Office, dealing with miners' hours, at Geneva.

The Conference also agreed to a revision of this limit within five years. On expiry of the Miners' Eight Hours Act next month, the seven hours day plus one hour winding time will be restored in British mines. Negotiations are proceeding between miners and owners to meet the situation when the present Act expires and the *Morning Post* says that as in accordance with the Geneva decision all coal producing countries are again on the seven and three-quarter hours bank to bank, it is not unlikely that both miners and owners will accept it here. *British Wireless and Reuter*.

their University elections. *British Wireless*.

By Blosser

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS.



sists even in the most profound melancholy.

7. The first part can't resist the second inhabitant of the deep—which is all that this is.

8. This performer, although he must preserve his equilibrium, starts in fun.

10. Ruins are always this—dated at the bottom.

11. This planet goes down as the sun rises.

12. Black, but more than capable.

13. This will do—almost.

14. Very dull.

15. This individual has lost a parent.

16. A deadly menace at sea.

17. Another deadly menace at sea.

21. If you don't find this you'll be in it.

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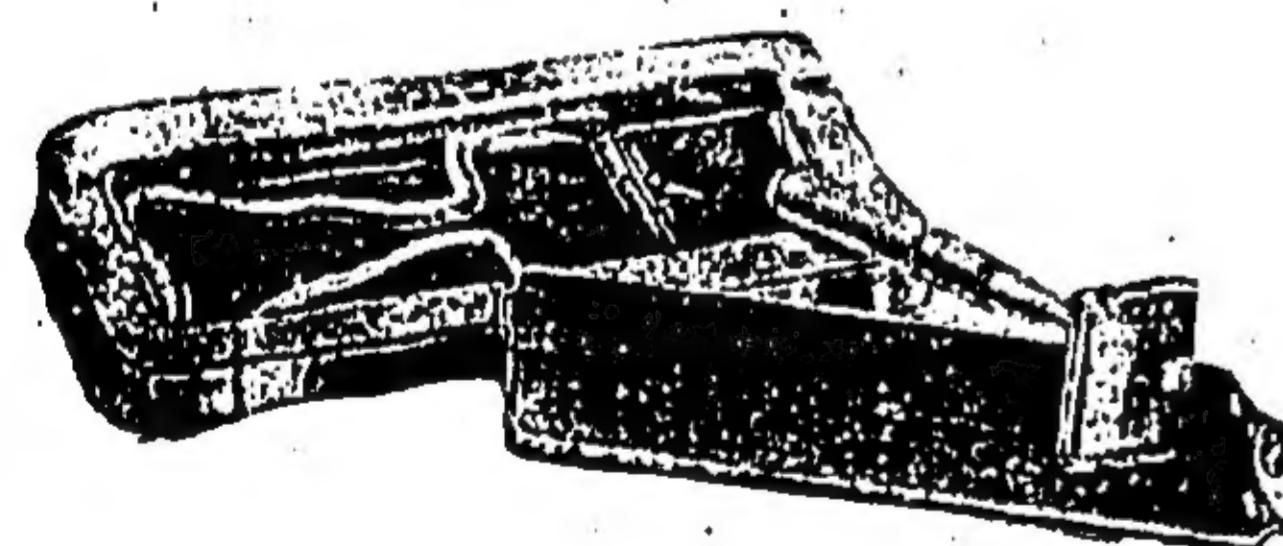
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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 1931.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

In common with all parts of the Empire, Hongkong will to-day mark with a spirit of loyalty and thankfulness the 66th birthday of His Majesty the King. The occasion is made all the more notable by the happy circumstance that it finds His Majesty completely recovered from his recent indisposition, which was naturally the subject of much public concern. During the course of his sickness, following on the more serious illness of some three years ago, Britons in all parts of the world joined in a deep and sincere wish that the King might be spared to continue his beneficent reign. Happily, those prayers have been answered and to-day His Majesty is once again able to take up those duties of State which he has discharged with such signal success during the twenty-one years since he came to the Throne. It was well said by a commentator, on the 21st anniversary of King George's accession, that the outstanding feature of his reign has been that there has been no error a King might make which he has not avoided; no good thing a King might do that he has not done or tried to do. The suggested epithet for King Charles II was that "He never said a foolish thing, and never did a wise one." Of King George, it might be said that during his reign he has never blundered in a foolish or imprudent or provocative speech or act. It is because of his reputation with his people in this regard that the basis of subjects' affection is in the trust and confidence which they put in him. It has for long been taken for granted, and as a matter of course, that he will do the right thing and never let his people or the Empire down.

It may be hard to understand why so many millions of people who have never seen or heard the King, and who never expect to, should have such a quiet but sincere affection for him. His Majesty, however, has consistently shown that he has a strong and deep-rooted sympathy for all his people, and it is clear that the public expressions of this which he makes from time to time are genuine and true; in fact, more deeply and personally so than his words convey. And because sympathy is something which cannot be given without being received, the bonds between the King and his people have grown steadily stronger with the passing years.

All those who have come into personal touch with His Majesty have the same thing to say of him—that he has a humanly friendly and frank way with him that endears him for good to those who have enjoyed such contact. When we come to consider the formalities and conventions which must always hedge Royalty in, there is something rather remarkable in this fact. One might suppose that there would be a danger of Royal personages losing the real "human" feeling; yet on the word of those who know, King George has ever and everywhere kept "the common touch."

"A King," says one writer, "is like the commander of a great army or navy. The commander can only be known personally to a very few, can only be able to make his own personality felt amongst a number so small in proportion to the whole as to count little or nothing. But a whole army will have confidence in one general and none in another, will give to one admiral a whole-hearted admiration and affection, and to another will give neither. Lord Roberts and Lord Nelson are the historic examples with us of such an affection. It can only be founded on the knowledge and experience of the very few, but in some mysterious and yet unfailing way it spreads and spreads until it permeates a whole enormous force; and what is more, such feeling is never wrong, the affection is never misplaced, the trust is always well and truly earned." So it is with King George.

Through the stress of the changes which have marked the twenty-one years of His Majesty's reign, the Throne has kept its place in the affection and allegiance of the British people, whilst other monarchs of less tact and wisdom have been deposed and gone into oblivion. In the long weeks, some three years ago, when His Majesty lingered in the valley of the shadow, sick almost unto death, he learned of the devoted attachment of his people not only to his Throne, but to his person; and to-day he may assure himself that the emotions which that crisis evoked have not diminished, but deepened. So, on the occasion of another birthday, never more fervently and loyally do his people, wherever they may be, say "God Save the King!"

GIRLS' £1,000,000 SHOES.

TRAMPING TO WIN TRADE FOR BRITAIN.

Two girls, whose job is to tramp 12 miles a day through city streets and country lanes, are playing an important part in a campaign begun by a factory in Watton, Liverpool, to win a trade worth £1,000,000 from foreign markets.

The girls are testing British-made rubber shoes, hundreds of thousands of which are to be put on the market this year.

Punctually at nine o'clock in the morning the girls report at the factory office for duty.

They don shoes, straight from the works, and they buckle on a belt to which a pedometer is attached.

The pedometer responds to the series of jogs which walking produces and accurately measures the miles covered by the wearer.

At 5 o'clock in the evening the girls return and hand in their shoes and their pedometers. Not until a pair of shoes has done 600 miles is the batch from which it is taken passed.

The girls' work is part of the elaborate organisation built up at the Wallon factory of the Dunlop Rubber Company. For months 1,500 girls and men have been working overtime making shoes out of crude rubber and cotton from Rochdale mills.

Mr. Leonard Brown, the general manager, said: "If we succeed in capturing the market there will be work for more than 6,000 more people. In Lancashire, and £1,000,000 will be won from the American, Polish, German and French competitors who took it last year.

"In seven years Britain has lost nearly £6,000,000 in this way."

"The tests we have given the new English shoes, and the prices at which it is possible to sell them, have convinced us that we have a good chance of winning this battle. It now remains for fine weather to come along to stimulate the demand."

DAY BY DAY

IT IS A STRANGE DESIRE WHICH MEN HAVE, TO SEEK POWER AND LOSE LIBERTY.—Bacon.

The thirtieth ordinary general meeting of Messrs. Wm. Powell, Ltd., is advertised to take place at Exchange Building, on Wednesday, June 17, at 11.30 a.m.

Colonel R. B. Skinner, O.B.E., departed on a tour of inspection to Shanghai and Tientsin as a passenger on the "Patroclus" on June 2, and is expected back in Hongkong in about a month's time.

As previously announced, the Young Women's Christian Association is giving two concerts, on Friday and Saturday next, at the Theatre Royal, in aid of fund to build a permanent camp for Hongkong girls and women. Tickets are on sale at Shirley's and the Y.W.C.A. Some general subscriptions have already come in proving public interest with the aims of the promoters. The programmes for the two evenings are somewhat different. Among the attractive items are vocal and instrumental numbers, special dances, and Chinese music and drama. The contributors will comprise several of the Colony's best-known entertainers.

IF RAILWAYS ARE ELECTRIFIED.

WHY THE COMPANIES HESITATE.

Some of the problems raised by the Weir Report, recommending that all the railways should be electrified at a cost of £386,000,000 were discussed by Major R. G. C. Glyn, a director of the London Midland and Scottish Railway on April 27.

"There is no doubt," he said to a reporter, "that the proposals are absolutely right in regard to areas with a density of traffic.

"With electrification you can generate speed of 30 miles an hour in 30 seconds, and this enables platforms to be cleared quickly and far more trains operated on a section than is possible with steam.

"But every day improvements are being made in steam traction. An enormous sum has been spent, and is being spent, upon steam traction; and although electrification might show a saving in expenditure when operated one has to take into account the millions invested in steam. The whole of that capital expenditure on steam plant could not possibly be scrapped.

Road v. Rail.

"Another point of importance," he continued, "is the position of rail and road competition.

"The London and North-Eastern and the London, Midland and Scottish companies have just spent over a million on electrifying the Manchester, Altrincham and South Junction railway line, and we have there the most up-to-date system in the world.

"What is going to happen? We have already been threatened by intensive road competition by the Manchester Corporation, who propose to put on road services at such fares as will probably jeopardise any adequate return of capital expenditure for the electrification. That is an example.

"Therefore," he said, "one cannot help asking, what justification there is for spending over £300,000,000 when others may come in and take the best part."



The instructor suggested I become a bit more modern.

THROUGH THE HEART OF DARKNESS.

By WILLIAM J. MAKIN.

AFRICA is now spanned from "Thirstland" and there is well-watered bush country where every variety of big game can be seen.

I doubt whether the Uganda Railway in its journey alongside the game park near Nairobi can equal the spectacular effect of the Benguela Railway on the highlands of Angola. Lions abound, man-eaters, and there have terrorised more than one village into flight. Big game has been trekking for years from the advancing civilisation of Rhodesia into the sanctity of unknown Angola.

When I first entered Angola I made the acquaintance of many of the engineers who had been engaged in this railway enterprise which had cost about fifteen millions and taken twenty-five years to complete. The stories they have to tell of bridging the Kwanza River, the torrent that swept down and marooned a working party for weeks, equal in epic character that of "The Builders" by Kipling.

The traveller along this exciting railway is bound to meet many of the men who built the line and are unable to tear themselves away from it. They have suffered all the hardships of pioneers, the discomforts of camps in the bush, the virulent attacks of malaria which come to men working in the wilds. Yet, after a few months in London spending their pay in a desperate effort to amuse themselves, they have come back to these highlands to live beneath the corrugated iron roof of an unprepossessing little house.

From the Congo frontier to the mining town of Kambove, the whole economic raison d'etre of this trans-African railway is revealed. For the engine is snorting its way through what is perhaps the richest region in the world.

This area of the Congo is not merely a land of ivory, apes, and peacocks. It is also a land of copper, gold, and radium. It is the famous Katanga region, which supplies the world with the greatest part of its copper and radium. And the railway that reaches to the Atlantic coast is carrying this modern treasure of civilisation.

Rattling along the railway in the Katanga region provides a series of surprises. The Belgians have developed the country wonderfully, built in a few years gigantic smelting plants, covered whole hills with powerful machinery, lit up industrial centres with a flaming glare of electric light, and transformed the dead heart of Africa into a living, throbbing organism.

It is into the heart of this black country in black Africa that the railway penetrates. Awny on the fringe of this throbbing industrialism lions roar, elephants trumpet, and gorillas thump their chests in desperation at their dispossessed haunts.

If the traveller decides to stay a few days at this incongruous heart of Africa, Kambove, he will be able to take stock of his geographical position. Actually, he will have travelled 1,200 miles from the Atlantic coast and Lobito Bay. There are nearly 800 miles of country to be traversed before the traveller crosses the Congo border. That country is Africa at its most spectacular.

There are the cultivated lowlands, then the mountains and the infinitude of the highlands, then the gorges where rivers either tear along in rapids, or trickle with the forlorn appearance of the tropics. There is desert, known as "The

The trans-African journey continues south to Elizabethville, the main town in the Congo. The white-garbed Belgians work with terrific industry in this banking and commercial centre. The real spectacular Africa appears again when, having traversed the rich copper fields of Northern Rhodesia, the train passes through Livingstone, and the traveller finds himself poised above the mighty Victoria Falls.

This exciting railway journey continues to Bulawayo, a town of much leisure, and where some wives are even driven to the desperation of reading the many cheap novels about Rhodesia and Rhodesians. To many travellers Bulawayo has become a mere wash-and-brush-up place on the railway line, which is a great pity. It has been for me a town of many delights, adventures, and glorious hospitality.

The subsequent journey by rail over the Pungwe Flats to Beira and the Indian Ocean can be the most exciting part of this exciting journey if taken at the wrong time of the year. Floods have been known to maroon travellers on this route for days. Washaways are frequent.

I recall one epic journey accomplished when the engine driver was desperately ill with malaria. But he brought his train safely into the station after a delay of some days, and then collapsed.

Finally, the glimpse of the Indian Ocean from Beira. A milk-white sea. Crooks, slimy, with crocodiles. And then, the popular trees of Beira: the trolleya, mimosa, the boys, and the inevitable baobab.

THE KING'S BIRTHDAY HONOURS LIST.

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Vice-Admiral, served on the China Station in 1900, and from 1926 to 1928 Commanded the First Cruiser Squadron on the same station. He commanded the Reserve Fleet in 1928-29.

Lieut. General Felix Rendy, colonel of the Royal Berkshires Regiment.

Lieut. General Sir Walter Leslie, who has been in command of the Lahore District since 1928.

Major-General Philip Grant, Director of Works at the War Office since 1927.

Major-General Charles Gwynn, Commandant, Staff College, Camberley.

Air-Vice-Marshal Charles Lambe, commanding the Coastal Area since 1928.

Colonel Sir Clive Wigram, Private Secretary to H.M. the King.

Companions of Honour.

Mr. Albert Mansbridge.—President of the World Association for Adult Education, the Central Library for Students, the Seafarer's Education Service and the British Institute of Adult Education. Was educated at elementary schools and in 1903 founded the Workers' Educational Association. Is a keen educationalist and was a member of the Royal Commission on the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge in 1919-22. Was also a member of the Selborne Committee on Church and State 1914-16.

Mr. Seehoom Rowntree.—Chairman of Rowntree and Co., Ltd., has for many years been actively engaged in business, social and political work. The author of numerous books on industrial and social questions.

G. C. M. G.

H.E. Sir Cecil Clementi, Governor of the Straits Settlements and High Commissioner for Malaya since 1930. Has been in the Colonial Service for 34 years, the greater part of which was spent in Hongkong where he began his career as a cadet. On leaving Hongkong in 1913, he became Colonial Secretary at British Guiana, which post he held until 1922 when he was appointed Colonial Secretary at Ceylon. Here he remained until 1925 when he was appointed Governor of Hongkong, being promoted five years later to his present post.

K. C. M. G.

Mr. W. E. F. Jackson, Governor of Mauritius.

Colonel T. Johnston, Governor of the Leeward Islands.

Sir John Middleton, Governor of Newfoundland.

Dr. Carter, formerly Archbishop of Capetown.

Sir John Maffey, Governor General of the Sudan.

Mr. H. E. Satow, H.B.M. Consul-General at Beirut.

Mr. Walford Selby, Private Secretary to Mr. Arthur Henderson, the Foreign Secretary.

C. M. G.

Commander Morgan, R.N.—In command of H.M.S. *Veronica* at the time of the recent New Zealand earthquake. His honour is in recognition of his services in the relief operations at Napier.

Other Honours.

Sir George Schuster becomes Knight Commander of the Star of India.

In the Royal Victorian Order, Sir William Llewellyn, distinguished artist and President of the Royal Academy becomes Knight Grand Cross, and Knighthoods are conferred on Major-General Sir Samuel Guise Moore, Mr. R. E. Harwood and Colonel A. E. Erskine.

In the Order of the British Empire, Knighthoods are conferred on Mr. R. R. Macnechie, the British Minister at Kabul, Mr. B. H. Bourdillon, the Colonial Secretary of Ceylon, Vice-Admiral A. P. Addison, Major-General G. A. H. Beatty, and Mr. Roderick McElroy.

A considerable number of Honours are also conferred upon members of the Indian Services and prominent Indians.—*Reuter and British Wireless*.

MOTORISTS' SIGHT TEST

APPEAL TO HIGH COURT.

The Automobile Association state that they have received complaints from motorists that magistrates are declining to hear appeals against the refusal of licensing authorities to renew the driving licences of persons unable to read a number-plate at 25 yards.

Counsel's opinion that a motorist is entitled to the right of appeal has been obtained, and the Association has decided to take a test case to the High Court.

It is contended by the Association that under the Road Traffic Act motorists have a general right of appeal against refusals to grant or renew driving licences.

At present some courts are hearing these appeals and others are refusing.

HONGKONG HONOURS.

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Mr. Li Po-kwai, who belongs to a well-known Hongkong family, in the head of a big rice firm and the owner of considerable property in the Colony. He is on the Executive Committee of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, of which he has been Chairman, and is a brother of Mr. Li Yick-mui, the present Chairman. He is a J.P., a member of the District Watch Committee, the Po Leung Kuk Permanent Board of Directors, the Chinese Permanent Cemetery Committee, the Chinese Public Dispensaries Committee and the Tung Wah Hospital Advisory Board.

Mr. Wong Kwong-tin.

Mr. Wong Kwong-tin, who was formerly in the Government service as an Interpreter at the Supreme Court, is associated with several local companies, and is at present comprador of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire's godowns in Kowloon. He took a prominent part in the Kowloon City reclamation scheme, having been manager of the Kai Tak Land Development Company. He is a member of the Executive Committee of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, of the Chinese Permanent Cemetery Committee, the Chinese Public Dispensaries Committee, and the Tung Wah Hospital Advisory Board. He is a J.P., a member of the Sanitary Board and also of the Court of the University.

Both gentlemen are well-known and highly respected for their manifold services amongst the Chinese community, and the honours conferred on them are richly deserved.

INVENTION FOR CRIMINOLOGISTS.

VACUUM CLEANER IN CRIMINAL CASES.

Science and new inventions are making the road of the professional criminal increasingly difficult. A novelty in this line, recently brought out in Sweden, would undoubtedly have been of great use to Mr. Sherlock Holmes, had he still been alive. This last word in the field of criminological technique is a "police vacuum cleaner" jointly invented by Dr. H. Soederman of the Stockholm University, and Dr. J. Heuberger of the Electrolux Company, which absorbs and preserves the dust and other particles attached to suspected objects or places. Dust as evidence in criminal cases has hitherto not played as important a part as it should owing to the somewhat primitive methods used in gathering it up. The police previously as a rule placed the clothes in a paper bag which was beaten with a cane, while the pockets were brushed with a hard brush, but this method was found to be far from reliable.

The new vacuum cleaner, packed in a neat attaché case, collects even the microscopic particles and sifts the dust through three mats of different density. In this way the police investigators and chemists are able to obtain a new and valuable source of information.

C.P.R.'S £3,000,000 HOTEL.

WEST END SCHEME POSTPONED.

Montreal, May 6. It was announced at the annual meeting of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company this afternoon that, as there will be a curtailment of the capital expenditure, the proposed construction of the giant luxury hotel in London will be deferred, until times are more suitable.

The company had proposed to spend £3,000,000 on the erection of the hotel at the corner of Berkeley-square and Bruton-street, W.

It is understood that the company had purchased the 12 manholes—11 to 19, Berkeley-square, and 15 to 20, Bruton-street, and had also obtained 9 and 10, Berkeley-square, and the leasehold interests of 6, 7 and 8, Berkeley-square, which include the famous Gunter's, who have been in the Square since 1760.

Site Still Held.

Sir Howard Frank, who had carried out the negotiations for the site, told a reporter that, although no building operations had been started, the C.P.R. had acquired and still held a site of over 77,000 square feet.

Special features of the new hotel were to be luxury shops on the ground floor, frontages, 800 bedrooms with a bathroom in each, and six restaurants.

DERBY BETTING.

CAMERONIAN STRONG FAVOURITE.

London, June 2. Cameronian is still favourite for the Derby at 9-2 and Pomme d'Ap and Doctor Dolittle second favourites at 10-1.—*British Wireless*.

STARTLING CRICKET.

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interrupted by rain, 913 runs were scored for 20 wickets.

BRIGHT CRICKET.

Splendid Victory for Notts.

Notts gave their supporters much cause for enthusiasm in defeating Somerset by ten wickets.

Batting first, they put up the excellent score of 379 for 7 wickets and declared, the batting honours being shared by Arthur Staples, who contributed 113 and Walker who hit out brightly for 125.

Larwood then gave one of his greatest bowling displays to play the leading part in the dismissal of Somerset for 671. Larwood took seven wickets at a cost of 25 runs.

Following on, Somerset tried better, fighting gallantly to avoid an innings defeat and eventually putting up a total of 338 (J. C. White 100). Notts needing 29 to win, obtained the runs without loss.

SUSSEX CRASH.

Wonderful Bowling By Mitchell.

Sussex were ignominiously defeated by Derbyshire at Chesterfield, succumbing by an innings and 188 runs. The Southern county scored 145 in two innings!

Derbyshire made 343, Sussex replied with 67, and following on, made a further 88. Mitchell did the damage on both occasions. He took 6 wickets for 11 runs in their first innings and 6 for 19 in their second. The wicket had been converted into an ideal pitch for him by heavy rain.

GLOUCESTER'S DEFEAT.

Another Worcester Surprise.

Gloucester shaped scarcely better against Worcester, though the final position looked much better. It was Worcester's second victory against the so-called giants of the county championship.

Taking first knock, Worcester made 178, Parker taking 7 for 85. Gloucester obtained a first innings lead of some twenty-nine runs, and seemed well set for victory.

Worcester refused, however, to be skittled out. Their last wicket fell at 248, Parker taking 4 for 94 and Goddard 4 for 26.

Gloucester were dismissed for 118, Root claiming four wickets for 32 runs, while Brook had slightly better figures, 4 for 28.

GAMES ABANDONED.

Woolley's Bright Effort at Bradford.

Rain washed out the match between Kent and Yorkshire, who got four points each instead of a good game.

Kent won the toss, batted first and before rain put a stop to the match had scored 296 for 4 wickets, of which Frank Woolley claimed no fewer than 188, was one of his most brilliant efforts.

Yorkshire did not bat at all. There was no play on Monday or Tuesday.

A similar state of affairs prevailed at Pontypool. On Saturday, Leicester made 127 and Glamorgan scored 56 for 4. Rain intervened, and kept the players out of the field for the rest of the match.

ESSEX SNATCH A WIN.

Timely Declaration.

A timely declaration at Leyton enabled Essex to achieve their second victory of the season at the expense of Northamptonshire.

Essex made 271 on batting first. C. Bray, a London journalist, scoring 100. Northants replied with 147.

In their second innings, Essex made 150 for 6 and declared, V. W. C. Jupp taking 5 of the six wickets at the cost of 62 runs. Bakewell made a great effort to save the game for Northants, keeping 90 not out, but the last wicket fell at 169.

BOWLING FEATS.

Warwick Men Show Their Mettle.

Warwick won on the first innings against Hampshire at Southampton, and were well set for victory at the close. Rain interfered to a considerable extent.

Hampshire won the toss and elected to take first knock. Mayer took 7 of their wickets for 48 runs, and the innings closed at 118.

Warwick replied with 165, Kennedy taking 5 for 39.

In their second innings, Hampshire were again in difficulties, and were sent back for 108. Paine bowled wonderfully well, 7 wickets falling to him for 37 runs.

Needing a mere 66 runs to win, Warwick had scored 16 for 3 when stumps were drawn.—*Reuter*.

NEW NAMES FOR SHIPS.

ACTION OF SPANISH COMPANIES.

The extent to which a nation's life is reflected in the names of its merchant vessels is illustrated by the rapidity with which Spanish ships, bearing names associated with the monarchy, are being rechristened.

Information received in London shows that the names of a large number of Spanish ships have already been altered, and that plans have been made to change the names of many others when they return to their home ports.

A list of vessels, which will shortly appear in the shipping directories under new names shows the expedients adopted to efface any suggestion of the monarchial regime, or the dictatorship.

CRITICS AND COUNTRIES.

The following characteristic examples indicate that one company has re-named its fleet after Spanish cities, and another after various Spanish-speaking republics in the New World:

Compania Transatlantica.

Old Name	New Name
Infanta Cristina	Claudia de la Villa
Principe Alfonso	Cludad de Palma
Infante Don Jaime	Cludad de Barcelona
Infante Don Juan	Cludad de Alacant
Miguel Primo de Rivera	Cludad de Algeciras
General Sanjurjo	Cludad de Ceuta
General Aranda	Cludad de Melilla
General Baster	Cludad de Mahon
Reina Victoria	Cludad de Melilla
Alfonso XIII	Habana
Infanta Isabel de Borbon	Uruguay
Reina Victoria	Espana
Reina Victoria	Argentina

The anxiety of the Spanish shipping companies to reflect the new regime in the names of their vessels is believed by many in the City, who have had a long acquaintance with fashions in ships' names, to be unique. As long after the Russian revolution as 1921, it is pointed out, a Russian vessel was sailing under the name of *Czarwitch*, while the renaming of Spanish vessels began within a few days of the departure of King Alfonso from the country.

"Fashions in ships' names provide a fascinating study," one authority stated. "Though Lloyd's Register of Shipping contains the names of all vessels afloat of 100 tons and more, it is a curious fact that neither Joan of Arc nor Napoleon is commemorated in the name of any French vessel. Again, many ships are sailing under the names of 'Empresses,' but no nation has thought fit to commemorate an 'Emperor.'

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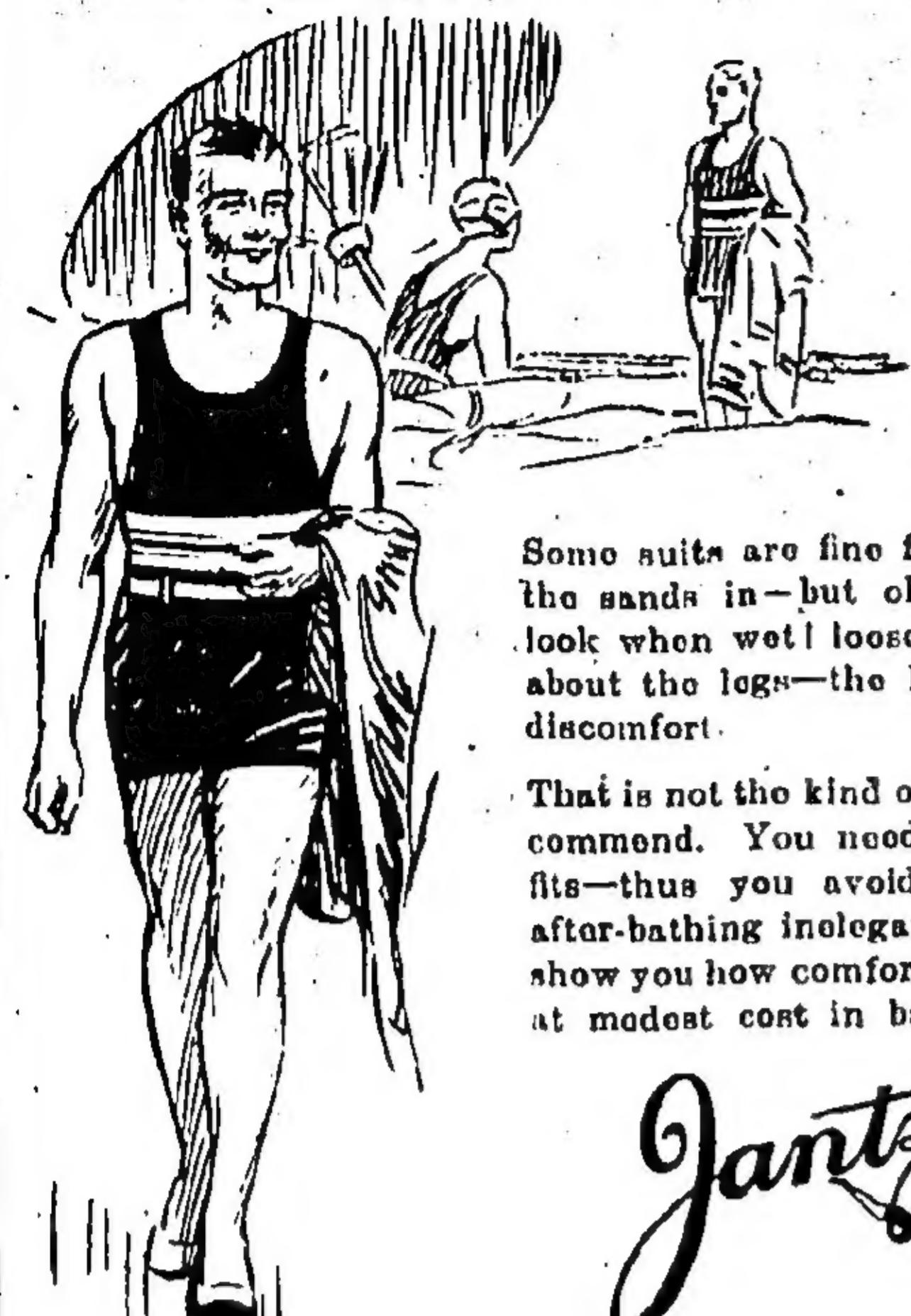
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THE DERBY.

LATEST LIST GIVES A FIELD OF 27.

London, June 2. The Derby probabilities show changes in the jockeys for Abbott, Worthy, Apperley, Estate Duty, and other horses, while Carmelus, Elixie, Link Boy, Poker Dog and Spanish Main Boy (all scratched) are omitted. The field is now twenty-seven, as follows: Abbott, Worthy (Joe Carty). Apperley (Carlake). Armagnac (Perryman). Cameronian (Freddy Fox). Cheery Lad (Richardson). Coldstream (Gordon Richardson). Dr. Dolittle (H. Beasley). Estate Duty (Weston). Gallini (Taylor). Goyescu (Elliott). Grindleton (L. Brown). Jacopo (Childs). Klatere (Herbert). Knoloma (Sibbitt). Le Monition (J. Leach). Lightning Star (Marshall). Orphee (Gibson). Pomme D'api (Beary). Primitif (P. Bonoghue). Revillon (Jellis). Rousset en Soleil (Turtle). Sandwich (H. Wragg). Shell Transport (Dick). Sir Andrew (P. Beasley). Tehau (Nolan). Teruru (Halding). Zamoff (Stretton).

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Another Derby Sensation.

Another Derby sensation has been caused by news from Paris where the Comte de Ferol, owner of the Derby horse, Poker Dog, has stated that he does not propose to run his mount on Wednesday.

London, June 2. The four days' Epsom race meeting began to-day. The Derby will be run to-morrow, and it is anticipated that an exceptionally large number will visit the Downs to witness this most popular of English races.

The King, who will celebrate his 60th birthday to-morrow, will go to Epsom accompanied by the Queen. Most elaborate precautions have been made by the police to prevent congestion on the roads leading to the course.—British Wireless.

MOTOR-CYCLE TRIAL.

ANOTHER EVENT PROMISED FOR HONGKONG.

Hongkong is likely to see another motor-cycle reliability trial during the next few months. A group of enthusiasts last night elected a committee and discussed the possibilities of an event.

The date of the fixture has been tentatively arranged for the August bank holiday, and the course is to be on the island, but further details will be decided by the committee. The distance will be somewhere in the vicinity of 100 miles.

The committee elected comprises Messrs. H. G. Williams (chairman), Dr. S. Rogers, R. C. Hamilton, Gaseen, E. L. Groome, F. P. Franklin, Ashton, the captain of the Kowloon Motor Cycle Club and Mr. B. H. Church, who will also attend to the secretarial duties. Mr. Rogers is treasurer.

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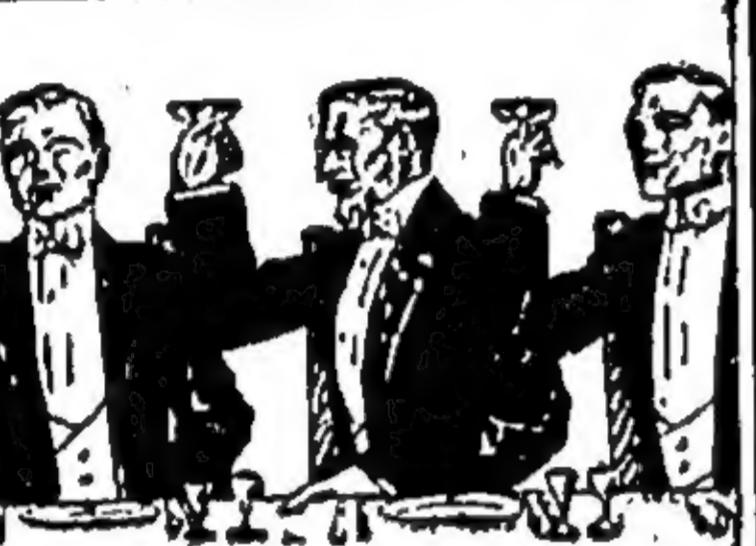
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AS MACDONALD SMITH COMES BACK, THERE IS NO DROPPING OF THE LEFT SHOULDER, A COMMON MISTAKE OF THE DUFFER.



Explain the proper pivot for the golf swing. The pivot usually takes care of itself. In taking back the club-head, the left shoulder should be turned without permitting it to drop. While this goes on, the weight gradually is shifted from the left to the right foot without swaying and without turning the head. The natural result of this is a slight bend in the left knee and the raising of the left heel.

The golfer may ask how to keep from swaying. My answer to this is to put the weight against a firm right leg and concentrate on keeping the head still.

As the club comes down in the downswing, the opposite action takes place—the body turns to the left, the weight is shifted to the left foot and the ball is hit.—ART KRENZ.

TWO LOCAL FOOTBALL CLUBS FINED.

OFFENCES BY ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE AND EASTERN.

The Hongkong Football Association has issued the minutes of a meeting of the Emergency Committee held recently at which incidents relating to the match between St. Joseph's College and Eastern, played on April 14, were considered.

For playing unregistered players in that match, St. Joseph's College was fined \$10.

The Eastern Football Club was reported to the Committee for the following:

1.—Playing members of the Ewo Football Club in the above match whilst the said players were under suspension.

2.—Supplying a false return of players taking part in the above Second League match.

3.—Failing to supply the League Management Committee and the Council of the Association with an explanation as requested in letters from the Hon. Secretary of April 17th and 23rd.

4.—Conduct generally likely to bring the game into disrepute and lack of courtesy to the Council of the Hongkong Football Association.

After two meetings, the Committee decided that the first "charge" had not been proved, but that the other three had been proved. It was stated by a representative of the Eastern Club that the whole matter had been arranged by Mr. J. F. da Silva, the joint secretary and captain of the team, without the knowledge or consent of the Eastern Club Committee. Leniency was asked for.

The Committee decided to fine the Eastern Club \$10, and warned that a repetition of the offence would lead to the Club being expelled from the Association. Mr. J. F. da Silva was suspended from football until January 1st next, and the Eastern Club was asked not to allow Mr. da Silva to hold any office in the Club.

LAWN BOWLS.

THE OPEN SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP.

In the first round of the Open Lawn Bowls Singles Championship, G. McLeod, of Tukou Duck, the Interport player, beat G. Royleane, on the Craigengower C.C. green yesterday, in a very close contest which went to 20 heads. Scores:

	McLeod	Royleane
Hends	Shots Total	Shots Total
1	1	—
2	1	—
3	3	—
4	3	1
5	1	1
6	4	2
7	1	2
8	3	2
9	—	1
10	8	3
11	8	2
12	6	12
13	1	9
14	2	11
15	1	12
16	1	13
17	1	1
18	1	11
19	14	1
20	14	2
21	2	16
22	1	17
23	2	19
24	19	1
25	19	2
26	19	1
27	1	20
28	20	1
29	1	21

THE CONSTITUTION.

DR. C. T. WANG'S APPEAL TO THE NATION.

Nanking, June 2. The Nanking Government celebrated the proclamation of the Provisional Constitution on the anniversary of the state burial of Sun at the Mausoleum yesterday.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek performed the rites, and Dr. C. T. Wang commented on the Provisional Constitution, emphasising the fact that the foundation of a country is built on its constitution which should, therefore, be carefully observed by the whole nation. He hoped the nation would co-operate with the Government, and condemned those unwilling to co-operate as being rebels.—Rensha.

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M.P. TO RETIRE.

A MINERS' MEMBER WITH LONG SERVICE.

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Mad Marriage.

By LAURA LOU BROOKMAN.

BEGIN HERE TODAY

Gypsy, half-breed, 18-year-old New York girl, who has been the day after she meets Jim at the home of her wealthy cousin, Anne Trumbull. Gypsy had been met by Jim, and a half hour later returned to him with a box of roses, a silk purse, and Wallace's fiancee had broken their engagement to marry a wealthy man. There is no romance in Gypsy's union.

Jim and Gypsy go to Forest City where Jim has a thriving law practice. His relatives, particularly Aunt Ellen, who has kept house for Jim, are hostile to Gypsy. They and her Aunt Ellen have a secret union of their own. Alan Crosby writes to Gypsy but she returns the letter unopened. Marcia Loring, Jim's former fiancee, married Brock Phillips.

Months pass and news comes that Brock Phillips has been killed in a fall from a horse. Marcia returns to Forest City, Jim asks her to marry him, and she accepts. They have their first quarrel and Jim goes alone. Abbie Manley takes Gypsy to a benefit garden party where she recognises Marcia in the crowd.

CHAPTER XXXIV

Abbie Manley's gaze followed Gypsy's to the girl with the blonde hair. "Well wouldn't you think?" Abbie began indignantly but her words broke.

There had been three women in the group. One of them (she was Mrs. Brooks, the rector's wife) moved away. They saw that the third was Ellen Wallace. Miss Wallace was facing them.

"Hello, Aunt Ellen," Abbie said, moving forward. "How've you been? Hello, Marcia. My dear, you know we all sympathise with you in your sorrow. On, excuse me! I don't suppose you're met Gypsy here, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Wallace."

Gypsy took Marcia Phillips' hand. "I'm glad to know you," she said.

The other girl's response was a polite murmur. The photograph in the newspaper had been accurate. Marcia was beautiful. She was dressed in thin black, modest in neck and hemline but cut to reveal the graceful slender figure. She wore a small hat, made of folds of cloth wrapped about her head. Hair the colour of pure gold, waving softly, showed beneath the edge of the turban. Her eyes were grey-blue, shadowed by lashes that Gypsy's sixth sense told her were expertly made up. Thin black brows, forming a broad arc, gave the face an unusual accent. The thin lips, which were very red, seemed, as they had in the photograph, to suggest arrogance. Gypsy knew instantly that she would not like Marcia Phillips.

"Everybody in town seems to be here," Ellen Wallace spoke up. "They ought to make a lot for the hospital. Marcia didn't want to come but I said it's time she was getting out and seeing people. Better for her. She's used to such an active life; it's not right to stay cooped up in the house all the time."

Abbie nodded her head in agreement. "How long are you going to be in Forest City?" she asked.

"Oh, I really don't know. Through the summer at least." Marcia's voice had a drawing quality. "Aunt Ellen's been so sweet to me—you know I've always called her that. She says that now she's in her own home she likes company. Of course I know I'm a frightful nuisance."

"Nothing of the sort!" Ellen Wallace insisted. "She's going to stay with me just as long as I can persuade her to. Her mother's in Italy, you know. We're going to keep Marcia here as long as she'll stay."

"That's fine. I'll drop in some afternoon soon, Aunt Ellen. Well, we've just come so I suppose we should be moving along. I want to buy one of those lovely garden baskets. Come to see me, won't you?"

Abbie and Gypsy moved toward the booth where the baskets were for sale. "Well!" said Abbie when they had gone some distance, "for a young widow Marcia doesn't look to me to be exactly heartbroken."

The same thought had flashed through Gypsy's mind but all that she said was, "She's lovely, isn't she?"

"Pretty all right. I never set much store by any of the family myself. Marcia's mother always put on airs. Seemed to think she was better than anyone else in town, though goodness knows they didn't have any reason to feel that way. Well—Marcia should have enough money to last her for a while now, I suppose you heard?"

"No, I didn't hear anything about it."

"You didn't? Well, she's got \$500,000. The day before they were married young Phillips took out a policy for that amount and put it in Marcia's name. Doesn't it seem like the hand of providence? I don't know whether there's any more coming to her or not but there probably is. Her husband was the only son Phillips had, though there are a couple of daughters. The talk is that the Phillips family isn't any too friendly with Marcia. I don't know why. Anyhow it's my opinion that's the reason she's staying out here. Let her get the \$500,000 and you won't see Marcia Phillips wasting any time in Forest City!"

doing things because they're good for me. You live near here, don't you?"

Gypsy nodded toward the Wallace house half way down the block. "The fourth house down," she said.

There was no sign from Marcia that she recognized the place. "Then we're neighbours," Marcia drawled. "You know I'm spending the summer with Aunt Ellen Wallace. I hope I'll see a great deal of you. It's only two years since I've lived in Forest City but I've scarcely any friends left. So far I've seen no one except my lawyer."

Was there a quick, feline flash in those blue-grey eyes or did Gypsy imagine it?

"I would have come to call," Gypsy said, "but I didn't think you'd care to see strangers."

Marcia nodded. There was both sadness and martyrdom in her face. "I haven't wanted to see anyone," she said. "But I feel now that I should make the effort. It's—not easy."

Certainly there was nothing to criticize in the young widow's voice or expression. Why did that persistent inner voice keep whispering to Gypsy, "It's a pose? She doesn't mean it?" The inner voice would not be still.

"Won't you come in?" Gypsy asked when they reached the brick walk. "I'd like you to see my garden."

Marcia smiled. "Another time perhaps. I must be getting on. Aunt Ellen expects me. Goodbye."

She turned and Gypsy and Jim went up the walk toward the house. Gypsy walked slowly though she was thinking.

At 3 o'clock that afternoon Jim Wallace rang the bell before his aunt's cottage. Marcia Phillips answered the ring.

"Come in," she said, smiling. "I'm glad you're early."

She led the way to the living room. Shades had been lowered to keep out the sun. There was a bowl of fragrant white flowers on a table near the fireplace. Marcia motioned the young man to a chair. "Sit here," she said. "It's cooler."

She was wearing a sleeveless frock of pale blue. It was not exactly a tea gown, nor an afternoon dress. It was draped gracefully, elaborately trimmed with lace to stay in the Peking Union Medical College hospital for a month or six weeks.

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PEKING TAXATION.

TWO THOUSAND MERCHANTS THREATEN STRIKE.

Peking, June 2. Two thousand Chinese merchants, representing the majority of firms, have presented a strong petition to General Chang Hsueh-Hung through the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, demanding the immediate abolition of taxation introduced to take the place of Ihsin.

The merchants' grievance is under the serious consideration of General Chang, whose representatives are negotiating with the merchants' delegation aiming at a revision of the taxation collection to avert a strike. The Government yesterday released a large consignment of goods which had been seized by the authorities on the ground that the owners had refused the payment of the taxation.

New Export Duties.

Nanking, June 2. The Ministry of Finance has proclaimed that as from June 1 the new export duties on native produce will be levied. Duty on re-exports will be levied at the old rate.

Native customs depots within 50 li inland are to be closed down. *Rensha.*

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Peking, later. The publicity department of Chang Hsueh-Hung's headquarters deny that he is suffering from typhoid, and state that it is influenza.—*Reuter.*

Chang Hsueh-Hung entered the hospital on June 1, and was reported to be suffering from fever.

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No, Marcia said, "I didn't get them. I asked you to come here to-day, Jim, because I want to talk to you."

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ANNUAL MEETING OF SOCIETY HELD YESTERDAY.

An appeal to the undergraduates to be more forward and to prepare papers for lectures, was made to the medical students of the Hongkong University last evening when the annual meeting of the Medical Society was held under the chairmanship of Prof. W. I. Gerrard.

After reading the minutes of the previous meeting, the secretary, Mr. N. K. Law, presented the report for the year. Addressing the meeting he said in part:

It is to my deep regret that I have to record during my term of office the untimely deaths of two of our Professors, Dr. C. Y. Wang and Dr. J. Anderson, and that of our fellow student, Mr. Chan Kwok-wah. They were staunch supporters of this Medical Society, and dear friends of all of us.

The Society gave Dr. M. B. Osman a farewell tea-party and I thank all the members who contributed generously towards presenting him with a souvenir. This manifestation of the affection of the members for Dr. Osman is really too little to be compared with what he has done for the Society, but we hope the good will that we wish him in his future career will enhance our gratitude further.

I am indeed grateful to those lecturers and post-graduates who took so much trouble in keeping up the Society's activities for these past months and am sure that their lectures added to the knowledge of our members. The Society was fortunate enough to have as its guests of honour His Royal Highness Prince Purachatra and Sir John Bland-Sutton, one of the foremost and best known of scientists and medical men, and Lady Bland-Sutton, his charming wife.

The annual dinner and dance of the Society was revived after a lapse of a few years.

After congratulating various members for their success during the past year in various branches of the Society's activities, the secretary expressed the gratitude of the members to the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, Messrs. H. Rutledge and Co. and Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin for offering prizes for Medicine, Surgery and Obstetrics. The secretary also thanked others who had contributed towards the success of the society during the past year.

Papers Wanted.

The chairman endorsed the thanks expressed to the prize donors, and in mentioning the lectures given during the past year appealed to the undergraduates to prepare papers to be read before members of the Society.

The chairman also thanked the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin and Dr. M. O. Pfister for their presence at the meeting.

After presenting the prizes won during the year, Sir William Hornell (Vice-Chancellor) thanked the donors and congratulated the winners, and went on to reiterate the appeal of Prof. Gerrard for more students to read papers before the members of the Society. He also reminded the meeting that the Medical Society had inherited the assets of the Hongkong School of Medicine, an admirable inheritance started by Sir Patrick Manson.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:
President, Prof. W. I. Gerrard; Chairman, Mr. V. Enok; Treasurer, Prof. L. T. Ride; Secretary, Mr. Lum Kau-chong; Committee, Mr. N. S. Lin (representing the sixth year students), Miss L. Todd (fifth year), Mr. A. Rodrigues (fourth year), Mr. Goh Telk-wah (third year), Mr. J. A. Gutierrez (second year) and Miss H. Tsukasaki (first year).

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FALSE TRADE DESCRIPTION APPLIED TO BENZINE.

Chan Hung-kwan, the manager of the Sze Yick Company, Nathan Road, Mongkok, was summoned before Mr. Hamilton, at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon, for having on May 20 unlawfully exposed or had for sale benzine to which a false trade description was applied.

The complainants, the Asiatic Petroleum Company, were represented by Mr. Mossop, while Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for the defense.

Mr. R. Y. Frost, Assistant in the Asiatic Petroleum Company, said that one day in January last he called upon the defendant and told him that he was selling 'outside' benzine, that is benzine other than Standard Oil, Texas or A. P. C. He suggested to the defendant that he was putting this 'outside' benzine in A.P.C. receptacles. The defendant made no denial, but promised that he would not do it in future.

In March, the defendant called at his office, and asked if he could become one of their dealers. He was refused, because they had reason to suspect that the defendant was still carrying on with this other benzine.

On May 20 witness was doing his rounds of all the dealers in Kowloon, and called on the Sze Yick firm. In their storage space he found seventeen drums and six four gallon 'new' tins belonging to the A.P.C., with Shell Oil Spirit written on them and the shell oil emblem, which was a registered trade mark. The defendant was not present, but he questioned a foki and was told that the benzine had been bought from the Shui Heng Yuen firm, which was a Hongkong firm importing kerosene and benzine. Witness went to the Mongkok police station, and returned with a Chinese detective. At his request, the foki took them to the Shui Heng Yuen's godown, and there witness found fifty drums, which he thought contained benzine.

On the following day, together with Sergeant Edwards and Mr. Parry, he again went to the Sze Yick firm and took three samples from one of the drums. It was very rarely that the A.P.C. supplied drums other than to the Government.

He saw the defendant on a later date at his office, and in answer to his question, the defendant said that the benzine found on his premises was nothing but Shell, which he had got from the Sam Shing Chan firm, one of the A.P.C. agents in Yau Ma Tei. He had got the benzine in drums. He also got some from the Ho Pun Tin store through their pump.

Witness subsequently visited the Sam Shing Chan and examined their books with regard to all sales to the Sze Yick firm. He found that a number of tins had been supplied, and also ten four gallon drums. He also went to the Ho Pun Tin store and had a conversation with Mr. Wong. He then visited all the other dealers in Kowloon, but found that no petrol had been sold to the Sze Yick other than by the Sam Shing Chan or the Ho Pun Tin.

Cross-Examination.

In reply to Mr. Hamilton, witness said that it would be absolutely impossible to sell the contents of the drums without bringing them out of the storage space in the Sze Yick shop. He also saw some empty

drums lying about in the shop. He agreed that the defendant had purchased three hundred tins of benzine, that is over 1,200 gallons, from the Sam Shing Chan. It was not impossible to refill a drum. In his opinion, there would be no profit in filling drums from the contents of tins, as there would be a loss by evaporation and spilling, and a purchaser generally prefers a tin, even though he would have to pay for it.

Further hearing was, at this stage, adjourned for June 11.

LATE MR. L. L. LOPEZ.

FUNERAL AT HAPPY VALLEY.

The funeral of the late Mr. L. L. Lopez took place at the Roman Catholic cemetery, Happy Valley, yesterday evening. The Rev. Fr. Spada officiated, assisted by the Cathedral choir. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends.

Among those present were Messrs. O. M. S. Oliveira, L. Leite, M. Remedios, M. Gomes, J. Barreira, F. Rebeiro, C. Rebeiro, A. J. Sousa, D. L. Lopes, L. Silva, V. L. Remedios, G. Ribeiro, J. D'Almeida, J. Gonçalves, J. Remedios, Dr. A. J. Osmund, S. M. S. Rosario, A. S. Rosario, S. Plana, W. Powell, V. Neves, C. Baptista, F. M. Pereira, C. Rocha, A. d'Ecce, A. Silva, J. Silva, J. M. Silva, J. Barros, D. F. Lopes, O. Ribeiro, J. C. V. Ribeiro, L. B. Gomes, F. Xavier, V. Xavier, L. G. Gutierrez, B. S. Viera, F. H. Carvalho, R. P. da Cruz, D. A. Alonzo, A. Machado, F. X. Remedios, D. Lopes, M. Remedios, G. Rosario and J. Silva.

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Both men were accordingly arrested. Searches were later made at their houses but nothing incriminating was found. The second defendant was No. 1 office "boy" at the Yokohama Specie Bank Ltd. and had his quarters there as well as a family house at West Point.

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UNUSUAL FORGERY CHARGE.

REVENUE STAMPS SAID IMITATED.

Charges of being in possession of 240 revenue stamps of the denomination of \$10 each were brought against two Chinese, To Luk and Fung Chan-pun, before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Police Court yesterday afternoon.

Mr. T. Murphy (Assistant Director of Criminal Intelligence) appeared for the prosecution. Mr. F. C. E. Rendall appeared for the first defendant and Mr. Hin-shing Lo for the second accused.

Mr. Murphy, briefly detailing the facts, spoke of several meetings which the two defendants had with two men who unknown to them were Police informers in connexion with the purchase of the stamps. After referring to various discussions which the informers had with the defendants, Mr. Murphy detailed the trap which the Police had laid at the Kum Toi Hotel in Yau Ma Tei.

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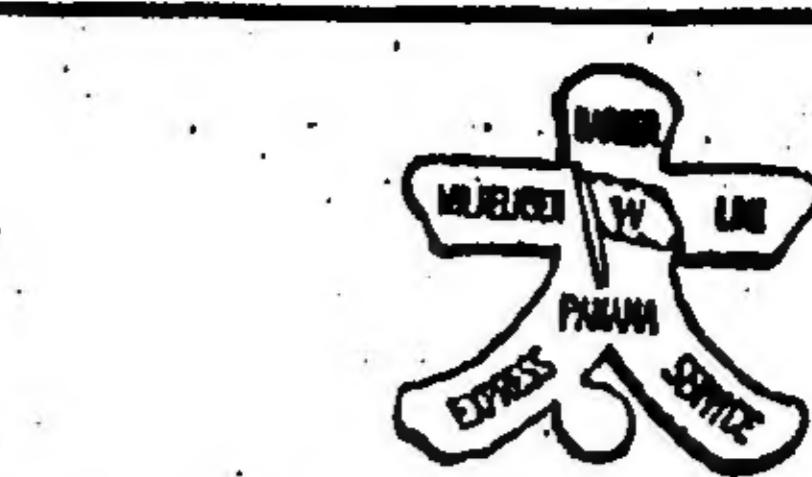
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AN ITALIAN LOAN.

THREE BILLION LIRE RAISED
IN ELEVEN DAYS.

The Italian Government issued a
loan on the 15th of last month for
4,000,000,000 lire. Between the 15th
and the 23rd the loan was fully sub-
scribed and by the closing day, the
26th, the amount of bonds applied
for exceeded 3,000,000,000 lire.

This astonishing result gives ample
proof of the great trust and complete
confidence that the Italian people,
especially the small investors and the
working classes have in their Govern-
ment and gives the lie to the rumours
that an Italian loan was to be raised
abroad.



Mr. Li Po-kwai, who receives a Certificate of Honour in the King's Birthday List.

THE ELECTORAL REFORM BILL.

READY TO PASS TO THE LORDS.

London, June 2.
The House of Commons to-night
passed the third reading of the
Electoral Reform Bill, which pro-
vides for the Alternative Vote in
Parliamentary Elections, and
abolishes plural voting.

The division resulted in a vote of 278 for the Measure and 228
against.—*Reuter*.

AIR NAVIGATION.

INTERNATIONAL MEETING IN LONDON.

London, June 2.
The ninth session of the Interna-
tional Air Navigation Commis-
sion will be opened in London to-
morrow by the Air Minister, Lord
Amulree, and will sit until Satur-
day.

Important questions concerning
air travel, with particular regard to
landing and rising requirements
and International rules for safe-
guarding will be discussed.—
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BURMA OUTRAGES
CONTINUE.

VIOLENT ANTI-INDIAN
FEELING.

REBELS DISPERSED.

London, June 2.

A report on the Burma situation
during the week ending 19th May,
circulated in the House of Com-
mons to-night, states that two
large rebel camps have been
attacked and destroyed in the
Tharawaddy District, when some
important leaders were killed and
captured.

Other minor successes by
Government forces had occurred
and there were no successful
attacks by rebels.

Decoits continue to occur, but
there has been no marked change
in the situation during the week.
Attacks upon Indians are still
occurring and have spread to the
Myinmya District.

Anti-Indian feeling is very
strong among the Burmans and is
fostered by violent articles in the
Burman Press. It is very difficult
to detect the outrages, but action
is being taken by police patrols,
and the joint responsibility of
villagers under the Village Act is
being enforced.

Many Indians have left the dis-
trict and come to Rangoon, where
reaccommodation been arranged.

As regards the economic situation
the report says the principal
feature is the extraordinary fall
in the price of everything except
oil. Prices for paddy and beans
are fifty per cent, and for cotton
eighty per cent, less than last
year. The fall in minerals and
timber is both thirty-five per cent,
and it is uncertain whether
further depression will yet be
reached.

The Government has allotted a
further twenty lakhs for agricultural
loans.

Owing to land going out of
cultivation, the unemployment prob-
lem is serious and is receiving
the Government's consideration.

The number of killed among the
Government's casualties as a result
of the rebellion were:—Military
police, nine; civil police, 27; other
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MANILA "REDS"
ROUNDED UP.

OVER THREE HUNDRED
PUT IN GAOL.

Manila, June 1.
Three hundred and nineteen
Communists, including 12 of their
most prominent leaders, were ar-
rested by the secret service and the
police on Saturday night in the
largest and most spectacular round-
up of Reds Manila has ever wit-
nessed.

Refusing to be bailed out, all
the arrested Reds are still lock-
ed up and safely guarded in the
jails of both the Luneta and the
Molave police stations, with the ex-
ception of 71 who were bailed out
by Alfonso Mendoza, Radical can-
didate for representative for Manila,
at midnight.

The raid, the first of its kind
ever staged here, took place at the
Rotondo Building in Sampaloc shortly
before 9 o'clock on Saturday
night while the Reds were holding a
meeting, presumably in con-
nection with the campaign of their
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